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## LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS FOR ONTARIO

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**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	November 1986	December 1986	Change	December 1985	November 1986	December 1986	Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86
ONTARIO (ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7092	7197	7209	117
Males	-	-	-	3449	3501	3507	58
Females	-	-	-	3643	3696	3702	59
Labour Force	4915	4943	28	4757	4877	4869	112
Males	2758	2770	12	2675	2730	2722	47
Females	2157	2173	16	2082	2148	2147	65
Participation Rate (%)	68.3	68.6	0.3	67.1	67.8	67.5	0.4
Males	78.8	79.0	0.2	77.6	78.0	77.6	0.0
Females	58.4	58.7	0.3	57.2	58.1	58.0	0.8
Employment	4588	4608	20	4422	4576	4554	132
Males	2586	2598	12	2484	2571	2550	66
Females	2002	2010	8	1938	2004	2003	65
Unemployment	327	335	8	336	302	315	-21
Males	172	172	0	192	158	171	-21
Females	155	163	8	144	143	144	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	6.8	0.1	7.1	6.2	6.5	-0.6
Males	6.2	6.2	0.0	7.2	5.8	6.3	-0.9
Females	7.2	7.5	0.3	6.9	6.7	6.7	-0.2
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19470	19677	19694	224
Males	-	-	-	9515	9616	9624	109
Females	-	-	-	9955	10061	10070	115
Labour Force	12881	12933	52	12577	12781	12725	148
Males	7349	7378	29	7176	7273	7235	59
Females	5532	5555	23	5402	5507	5490	88
Participation Rate (%)	65.5	65.7	0.2	64.6	65.0	64.6	0.0
Males	76.4	76.7	0.3	75.4	75.6	75.2	-0.2
Females	55.0	55.2	0.2	54.3	54.7	54.5	0.2
Employment	11667	11718	51	11339	11607	11545	206
Males	6672	6700	28	6459	6627	6552	93
Females	4995	5018	23	4880	4980	4993	113
Unemployment	1214	1215	1	1238	1173	1180	-58
Males	677	678	1	717	646	683	-34
Females	537	537	0	521	527	497	-24
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	9.4	0.0	9.8	9.2	9.3	-0.5
Males	9.2	9.2	0.0	10.0	8.9	9.4	-0.6
Females	9.7	9.7	0.0	9.7	9.6	9.1	-0.6



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
				% Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86				% Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86				% Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86
	December 1985	November 1986	December 1986		December 1985	November 1986	December 1986		December 1985	November 1986	December 1986	
Males	3449	3501	3507	1.7	77.6	78.0	77.6	0.0	2675	2730	2722	1.8
15-24	771	762	762	-1.2	68.4	71.1	70.3	2.8	527	542	536	1.7
15-19	352	349	349	-0.9	53.4	56.5	55.7	4.3	188	197	194	3.2
20-24	419	414	413	-1.4	81.0	83.4	82.7	2.1	340	345	342	0.6
25-44	1393	1432	1436	3.1	95.9	96.5	96.1	0.2	1337	1381	1380	3.2
25-34	756	776	778	2.9	95.1	95.9	95.8	0.7	719	744	746	3.8
35-44	637	656	658	3.3	97.0	97.2	96.5	-0.5	618	637	634	2.6
45 +	1285	1307	1309	1.9	63.1	61.7	61.5	-2.5	811	806	805	-0.7
45-54	471	476	476	1.1	92.4	93.2	93.4	1.1	435	443	445	2.3
55-64	425	429	430	1.2	75.9	71.1	71.0	-6.5	322	305	305	-5.3
65 +	389	402	403	3.6	13.8	14.4	13.7	-0.7	54	58	55	1.9
Females	3643	3696	3702	1.6	57.2	58.1	58.0	1.4	2082	2148	2147	3.1
15-24	747	737	736	-1.5	66.1	67.6	66.7	0.9	494	498	491	-0.6
15-19	336	333	333	-0.9	55.6	54.6	55.0	-1.1	187	182	183	-2.1
20-24	411	404	403	-1.9	74.7	78.3	76.3	2.1	307	316	308	0.3
25-44	1438	1477	1481	3.0	74.9	77.5	77.3	3.2	1077	1145	1145	6.3
25-34	789	806	808	2.4	75.4	79.3	77.9	3.3	595	639	629	5.7
35-44	649	671	673	3.7	74.2	75.4	76.6	3.2	482	506	516	7.1
45 +	1457	1482	1485	1.9	35.1	34.0	34.4	-2.0	511	505	511	0.0
45-54	473	479	479	1.3	66.3	66.7	67.1	1.2	313	319	322	2.9
55-64	458	460	460	0.4	37.6	36.7	37.7	0.3	172	169	173	0.6
65 +	527	544	546	3.6	4.8	3.1	3.0	-37.5	25	17	16	-36.0
Both Sexes	7092	7197	7209	1.6	67.1	67.8	67.5	0.6	4757	4877	4869	2.4
15-24	1518	1499	1498	-1.3	67.3	69.4	68.6	1.9	1022	1040	1027	0.5
15-19	688	682	682	-0.9	54.5	55.6	55.4	1.7	375	379	378	0.8
20-24	831	817	816	-1.8	77.9	80.9	79.6	2.2	647	661	649	0.3
25-44	2831	2909	2917	3.0	85.3	86.8	86.6	1.5	2414	2526	2525	4.6
25-34	1545	1582	1586	2.7	85.0	87.4	86.7	2.0	1314	1383	1375	4.6
35-44	1286	1327	1331	3.5	85.5	86.2	86.4	1.1	1100	1143	1150	4.5
45 +	2742	2789	2794	1.9	48.2	47.0	47.1	-2.3	1322	1311	1317	-0.4
45-54	944	954	955	1.2	79.3	79.9	80.2	1.1	749	762	766	2.3
55-64	883	889	890	0.8	56.0	53.3	53.8	-3.9	494	474	479	-3.0
65 +	916	946	949	3.6	8.7	7.9	7.6	-12.6	79	75	72	-8.9



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2484	2571	2550	66	2273	2351	2326	53	211	221	224	13
15-24	448	485	470	22	292	321	306	14	155	164	164	9
25-44	1258	1306	1307	49	1237	1282	1282	45	20	25	24	4
45 +	778	780	774	-4	744	748	738	-6	36	32	36	0
45-54	422	429	428	6	416	425	422	6	6	4	7	1
55-64	304	294	292	-12	290	283	278	-12	14	11	14	0
65 +	53	57	54	1	38	39	38	0	15	17	16	1
Females	1938	2004	2003	65	1416	1472	1455	39	523	532	548	25
15-24	453	449	449	-4	254	252	253	-1	198	197	196	-2
25-44	1007	1078	1074	67	810	868	852	42	197	211	221	24
45 +	479	476	480	1	352	352	350	-2	128	124	131	3
45-54	291	303	303	12	224	227	227	3	68	76	76	8
55-64	163	157	162	-1	116	116	115	-1	47	41	47	0
65 +	25	17	16	-9	12	9	8	-4	13	8	8	-5
Both Sexes	4422	4576	4554	132	3688	3823	3781	93	733	753	772	39
15-24	900	935	919	19	547	573	560	13	353	362	360	7
25-44	2265	2385	2380	115	2048	2149	2135	87	217	235	246	29
45 +	1257	1256	1254	-3	1093	1101	1086	-7	163	156	166	3
45-54	713	731	731	18	639	652	649	10	74	79	82	8
55-64	466	451	453	-13	406	400	392	-14	61	52	61	0
65 +	77	74	69	-8	49	48	46	-3	28	25	24	-4

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85- Dec. 86
Males	192	158	171	-21	7.2	5.8	6.3	-0.9
15-24	80	56	66	-14	15.1	10.4	12.3	-2.8
15-19	37	25	26	-11	19.6	12.8	13.6	-6.8
20-24	43	31	39	-4	12.7	9.1	11.5	-1.2
25-44	79	75	74	-5	5.9	5.4	5.4	-0.5
25-34	56	55	50	-6	7.8	7.4	6.7	-1.1
35-44	23	20	24	1	3.7	3.1	3.7	0.0
45 +	33	27	32	-1	4.1	3.3	3.9	-0.2
45-54	13	14	16	3	3.1	3.2	3.7	0.6
55-64	18	11	13	-5	5.7	3.7	4.4	-1.3
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	144	143	144	0	6.9	6.7	6.7	-0.2
15-24	42	48	42	0	8.4	9.7	8.5	0.1
15-19	17	19	16	-1	9	10.2	8.5	-0.5
20-24	25	30	26	1	8.1	9.5	8.5	0.4
25-44	70	67	71	1	6.5	5.8	6.2	-0.3
25-34	41	40	40	-1	6.9	6.3	6.4	-0.5
35-44	29	27	31	2	6.0	5.3	5.9	-0.1
45 +	32	28	31	-1	6.3	5.6	6.1	-0.2
45-54	22	17	19	-3	7.0	5.3	5.8	-1.2
55-64	9	11	12	3	5.5	6.8	6.8	1.3
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	336	302	315	-21	7.1	6.2	6.5	-0.6
15-24	121	105	107	-14	11.9	10.1	10.5	-1.4
15-19	54	44	42	-12	14.3	11.5	11.1	-3.2
20-24	68	61	65	-3	10.5	9.3	10.1	-0.4
25-44	149	142	145	-4	6.2	5.6	5.7	-0.5
25-34	97	95	91	-6	7.4	6.9	6.6	-0.8
35-44	52	46	54	2	4.7	4.1	4.7	0.0
45 +	65	55	63	-2	4.9	4.2	4.8	-0.1
45-54	35	31	35	0	4.7	4.1	4.6	-0.1
55-64	28	23	25	-3	5.6	4.8	5.3	-0.3
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85-Dec. 86
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4422	4576	4554	132
Agriculture	106	122	109	3
Other Primary	56	51	53	-3
Manufacturing	1004	1018	1009	5
Construction	225	274	254	29
Transportation	323	310	307	-16
Trade	780	809	803	23
Finance	273	285	294	21
Service	1365	1422	1438	73
Public Administration	288	285	287	-1
Occupation	4422	4576	4554	132
Managerial	1275	1323	1312	37
Clerical	767	759	777	10
Sales	432	458	439	7
Service	590	583	602	12
Primary	135	142	125	-10
Processing	667	716	717	50
Construction	218	255	236	18
Transportation	154	155	158	4
Materials Handling	185	184	188	3



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85-Dec. 86	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85-Dec. 86
All Ages	336	302	315	-21	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	106	93	101	-5	31.5	30.8	32.1	0.5
5 - 13 weeks	102	100	103	1	30.4	33.1	32.7	2.3
14 weeks and over	124	105	109	-15	36.9	34.8	34.6	-2.3
Average duration (weeks)	17.1	16.5	15.7	-1.4	—	—	—	—
15 - 24 Years	121	105	107	-14	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	45	40	39	-6	37.2	38.1	36.4	-0.7
5 - 13 weeks	41	38	37	-4	33.9	36.2	34.6	0.7
14 weeks and over	34	27	31	-3	28.1	25.7	29.0	0.9
Average duration (weeks)	11.7	13.0	12.1	0.4	—	—	—	—
25 - 44 Years	149	142	145	-4	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	43	39	45	2	28.9	27.5	31.0	2.2
5 - 13 weeks	44	47	50	6	29.5	33.1	34.5	5.0
14 weeks and over	61	53	48	-13	40.9	37.3	33.1	-7.8
Average duration (weeks)	20.2	17.4	15.9	-4.3	—	—	—	—
45 Years and over	65	55	63	-2	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	18	14	16	-2	27.7	25.5	25.4	-2.3
5 - 13 weeks	16	16	16	0	24.6	29.1	25.4	0.8
14 weeks and over	29	25	30	1	44.6	45.5	47.6	3.0
Average duration (weeks)	20.0	21.0	21.3	1.3	—	—	—	—



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85-Dec. 86
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	54	44	42	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.3	11.5	11.1	-3.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	20	19	13	-7
5 - 13 weeks	17	18	17	0
14 weeks and over	16	6	12	-4
Average duration (weeks)	11.0	9.1	11.0	0.0
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	23	20	22	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	20.0	17.5	18.8	-1.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	9	7	6	-3
5 - 13 weeks	7	8	11	4
14 weeks and over	7	4	5	-2
Average duration (weeks)	11.1	11.5	11.8	0.7
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	68	61	65	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	9.3	10.1	-0.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	25	21	26	1
5 - 13 weeks	24	20	20	-4
14 weeks and over	18	20	20	2
Average duration (weeks)	12.2	15.8	12.9	0.7
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	65	56	62	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.2	9.6	11.0	-0.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	25	17	24	-1
5 - 13 weeks	23	18	19	-4
14 weeks and over	17	20	19	2
Average duration (weeks)	12.3	16.8	13.1	0.8



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85-Dec. 86
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	415	435	435	20
Employment	384	402	402	18
Unemployment	30	32	33	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.3	7.4	7.5	0.2
Sudbury				
Labour Force	60	64	63	3
Employment	54	57	57	3
Unemployment	6	7	7	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	11.0	10.3	-0.1
Oshawa				
Labour Force	86	94	93	7
Employment	81	87	89	8
Unemployment	5	7	4	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	7.0	4.8	-0.6
Toronto				
Labour Force	1794	1810	1815	21
Employment	1693	1731	1737	44
Unemployment	101	79	78	-23
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.6	4.4	4.3	-1.3
Hamilton				
Labour Force	287	316	315	28
Employment	271	294	290	19
Unemployment	16	22	25	9
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.6	7.0	7.9	2.3
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	143	147	144	1
Employment	129	134	132	3
Unemployment	14	13	11	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.7	8.7	7.9	-1.8
London				
Labour Force	152	162	161	9
Employment	138	152	151	13
Unemployment	14	10	9	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	6.2	5.9	-3.6
Windsor				
Labour Force	115	119	121	6
Employment	103	109	112	9
Unemployment	11	10	9	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	8.2	7.6	-2.3
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	172	164	168	-4
Employment	162	155	158	-4
Unemployment	11	9	10	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	5.5	6.0	-0.3
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	61	63	65	4
Employment	54	58	60	6
Unemployment	7	5	5	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	8.2	7.2	-3.5



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Dec. 1985	Nov. 1986	Dec. 1986	Change Dec. 85-Dec. 86
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4757	4877	4869	112
Employment	4422	4576	4554	132
Unemployment	336	302	315	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	6.2	6.5	-0.6
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	210	215	205	-5
Employment	166	174	166	0
Unemployment	44	41	39	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	21.0	19.2	18.8	-2.2
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	56	59	57	1
Employment	47	50	47	0
Unemployment	9	9	10	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.4	14.9	16.8	1.4
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	382	395	391	9
Employment	335	341	337	2
Unemployment	47	53	54	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.4	13.5	13.8	1.4
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	300	303	299	-1
Employment	256	263	261	5
Unemployment	44	41	39	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.8	13.3	12.9	-1.9
Quebec				
Labour Force	3188	3221	3188	0
Employment	2817	2885	2858	41
Unemployment	371	336	330	-41
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	10.4	10.3	-1.3
Manitoba				
Labour Force	524	532	537	13
Employment	484	490	494	10
Unemployment	40	42	43	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.8	8.0	0.4
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	485	485	483	-2
Employment	443	449	447	4
Unemployment	42	36	36	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	7.4	7.4	-1.3
Alberta				
Labour Force	1248	1256	1254	6
Employment	1139	1135	1133	-6
Unemployment	109	121	121	12
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	9.7	9.6	0.9
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1428	1438	1442	14
Employment	1231	1244	1248	17
Unemployment	197	194	195	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.8	13.5	13.5	-0.3
CANADA				
Labour Force	12577	12781	12725	148
Employment	11339	11607	11545	206
Unemployment	1238	1173	1180	-58
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.8	9.2	9.3	-0.5



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	December 1986	January 1987	Change	January 1986	December 1986	January 1987	Jan. 86- Jan. 87
ONTARIO							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7102	7209	7221	119
Males	-	-	-	3454	3507	3513	59
Females	-	-	-	3648	3702	3708	60
Labour Force	4943	4966	23	4765	4869	4866	101
Males	2770	2777	7	2678	2722	2717	39
Females	2173	2189	16	2087	2147	2150	63
Participation Rate (%)	68.6	68.8	0.2	67.1	67.5	67.4	0.3
Males	79.0	79.0	0.0	77.5	77.6	77.3	-0.2
Females	58.7	59.0	0.3	57.2	58.0	58.0	0.8
Employment	4628	4640	32	4374	4554	4526	132
Males	2598	2613	15	2456	2550	2521	65
Females	2030	2027	17	1918	2003	1985	67
Unemployment	335	326	-9	392	315	360	-32
Males	172	164	-8	223	171	196	-27
Females	163	162	-1	169	144	165	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.6	-0.2	8.2	6.5	7.4	-2.8
Males	6.2	5.9	-0.3	8.3	6.3	7.2	-1.1
Females	7.5	7.4	-0.1	8.1	6.7	7.7	-2.4
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19492	19694	19715	223
Males	-	-	-	9526	9624	9634	108
Females	-	-	-	9966	10070	10081	115
Labour Force	12930*	13002	72	12543	12725	12675	132
Males	7375*	7388	13	7152	7235	7180	28
Females	5555	5614	59	5391	5490	5495	104
Participation Rate (%)	65.7	65.9	0.2	64.3	64.6	64.3	0.0
Males	76.6*	76.7	0.1	75.1	75.2	74.5	-0.6
Females	55.2	55.7	0.5	54.1	54.5	54.5	0.4
Employment	11716*	11747	31	11196	11545	11333	137
Males	6698*	6701	3	6370	6552	6404	34
Females	5018	5046	28	4827	4993	4929	102
Unemployment	1214*	1255	41	1347	1180	1342	-5
Males	677*	687	10	782	683	776	-6
Females	537	568	31	564	497	566	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	9.7	0.3	10.7	9.3	10.6	-2.1
Males	9.2	9.3	0.1	10.9	9.4	10.8	-2.1
Females	9.7	10.1	0.4	10.5	9.1	10.3	-0.8

\* Revised seasonally-adjusted data

2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	January 1986	December 1986	January 1987	% Change Jan. 86- Jan. 87	January 1986	December 1986	January 1987	% Change Jan. 86- Jan. 87	January 1986	December 1986	January 1987	% Change Jan. 86- Jan. 87
Males	3454	3507	3513	1.7	77.5	77.6	77.3	-0.3	2678	2722	2717	1.5
15-24	770	762	761	-1.2	68.2	70.3	69.7	2.2	525	536	531	1.1
15-19	351	345	349	-0.6	52.0	55.7	56.0	7.7	183	194	195	6.6
20-24	419	413	412	-1.7	81.8	82.7	81.3	-0.6	343	342	335	-2.3
25-44	1397	1436	1441	3.1	96.3	96.1	95.3	-1.0	1345	1360	1374	2.2
25-34	758	778	781	3.0	95.8	95.8	94.9	-0.9	726	746	741	2.1
35-44	639	658	660	3.3	96.9	96.5	95.9	-1.0	619	634	633	2.3
45 +	1287	1309	1311	1.9	62.8	61.5	61.9	-1.4	808	805	812	0.5
45-54	471	476	477	1.3	93.1	93.4	93.5	0.4	439	445	446	1.6
55-64	425	430	430	1.2	74.8	71.0	72.2	-3.5	318	325	311	-2.2
65 +	390	403	405	3.8	13.0	13.7	13.8	6.2	51	55	56	9.6
Females	3648	3702	3708	1.6	57.2	58.0	58.0	1.4	2087	2147	2150	3.0
15-24	746	736	735	-1.5	65.0	66.7	66.2	1.8	485	491	486	0.2
15-19	336	333	333	-0.9	53.4	55.0	54.9	2.8	179	183	183	2.2
20-24	411	403	402	-2.2	74.5	76.3	75.5	1.3	306	308	304	-0.7
25-44	1442	1481	1485	3.0	75.9	77.3	77.2	1.7	1094	1145	1147	4.8
25-34	790	808	810	2.5	76.4	77.9	77.8	1.8	604	629	630	4.3
35-44	651	673	675	3.7	75.2	76.6	76.4	1.6	490	516	516	5.3
45 +	1460	1485	1487	1.8	34.8	34.4	34.7	-0.3	508	511	517	1.8
45-54	473	479	480	1.5	65.6	67.1	67.5	2.9	310	322	324	4.5
55-64	458	460	460	0.4	37.8	37.7	38.4	1.6	173	173	177	2.3
65 +	528	546	547	3.6	4.7	3.0	2.9	-38.3	25	16	16	-36.0
Both Sexes	7102	7209	7221	1.7	67.1	67.5	67.4	0.4	4765	4869	4866	2.1
15-24	1517	1498	1496	-1.4	66.6	68.6	68.0	2.1	1011	1027	1017	0.6
15-19	687	682	681	-0.9	52.7	55.4	55.5	5.3	362	378	378	4.4
20-24	830	816	815	-1.8	78.2	79.6	78.5	0.4	649	649	639	-1.5
25-44	2839	2917	2926	3.1	85.9	86.6	86.1	0.2	2439	2525	2522	3.3
25-34	1549	1586	1591	2.7	85.9	86.7	86.2	0.3	1330	1375	1372	3.2
35-44	1290	1331	1335	3.5	85.9	86.4	86.0	0.1	1109	1150	1149	3.6
45 +	2746	2794	2798	1.9	47.9	47.1	47.5	-0.8	1316	1317	1329	1.0
45-54	944	955	957	1.4	79.3	80.2	80.5	1.5	749	766	770	2.8
55-64	883	890	890	0.8	55.6	53.8	54.7	-1.6	491	479	487	-0.8
65 +	918	949	952	3.7	8.2	7.6	7.5	-8.5	76	72	72	-5.3

### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
			Change				Change				Change	
	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 86- Jan. 87	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 86- Jan. 87	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Jan. 86- Jan. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2456	2550	2521	65	2250	2326	2305	55	206	224	216	10
15-24	441	470	456	15	291	306	298	7	150	164	157	7
25-44	1247	1307	1288	41	1227	1282	1262	35	19	24	27	8
45 +	768	774	777	9	732	738	745	13	37	36	32	-5
45-54	418	428	428	10	411	422	423	12	7	7	5	-2
55-64	299	292	294	-5	285	276	282	-3	14	14	12	-2
65 +	50	54	54	4	34	38	40	6	16	16	14	-2
Females	1918	2003	1985	67	1399	1455	1444	45	519	548	541	22
15-24	424	449	437	13	241	253	241	0	183	196	195	12
25-44	1015	1074	1066	51	810	852	848	38	205	221	218	13
45 +	479	480	482	3	348	350	355	7	131	131	126	-3
45-54	290	303	305	15	221	227	232	11	69	76	72	3
55-64	164	162	161	-3	117	115	114	-3	47	47	47	0
65 +	24	16	16	-8	9	8	8	-1	15	8	8	-7
Both Sexes	4374	4554	4506	132	3648	3781	3750	102	725	772	757	32
15-24	865	919	893	28	533	560	540	7	332	360	353	21
25-44	2262	2380	2355	93	2038	2135	2110	72	224	246	245	21
45 +	1246	1254	1259	13	1077	1086	1100	23	169	166	159	-10
45-54	709	731	733	24	632	649	656	24	76	82	77	1
55-64	464	453	455	-9	402	392	396	-6	61	61	59	-2
65 +	74	69	70	-4	44	46	48	4	31	24	22	-9

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.

#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
				Change Jan. 86- Jan. 87				Change Jan. 86- Jan. 87
	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987		Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	
Males	223	171	196	-27	8.3	6.3	7.2	-1.1
15-24	84	66	75	-9	16.1	12.3	14.1	-2.2
15-19	36	26	30	-6	19.9	13.6	15.6	-4.3
20-24	48	39	44	-4	14.0	11.5	13.2	-2.8
25-44	98	74	85	-13	7.3	5.4	6.2	-1.1
25-34	65	50	60	-5	9.0	6.7	8.0	-1.0
35-44	33	24	26	-7	5.3	3.7	4.1	-1.2
45 +	40	32	35	-5	4.9	3.9	4.3	-0.6
45-54	21	16	17	-4	4.7	3.7	3.9	-0.8
55-64	19	13	17	-2	5.9	4.4	5.3	-0.6
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	169	144	165	-4	8.1	6.7	7.7	-0.4
15-24	61	42	50	-11	12.6	8.5	10.2	-2.4
15-19	24	16	21	-3	13.4	8.5	11.2	-2.2
20-24	37	26	29	-8	12.1	8.5	9.6	-2.5
25-44	78	71	80	2	7.2	6.2	7.0	-0.2
25-34	47	40	48	1	7.8	6.4	7.6	-0.2
35-44	31	31	32	1	6.4	5.9	6.2	-0.2
45 +	29	31	35	6	5.8	6.1	6.7	0.9
45-54	20	19	19	-1	6.5	5.8	6.0	-0.5
55-64	9	12	15	6	5.0	6.8	8.5	3.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	392	315	360	-32	8.2	6.5	7.4	-0.8
15-24	146	107	125	-21	14.4	10.5	12.3	-2.1
15-19	60	42	51	-9	16.7	11.1	13.5	-3.2
20-24	85	65	74	-11	13.1	10.1	11.5	-1.6
25-44	177	145	166	-11	7.3	5.7	6.6	-0.7
25-34	113	91	108	-5	8.5	6.6	7.8	-0.7
35-44	64	54	58	-6	5.8	4.7	5.0	-0.8
45 +	69	63	70	1	5.3	4.8	5.3	0.0
45-54	41	35	37	-4	5.4	4.6	4.8	-0.6
55-64	27	25	32	5	5.6	5.3	6.5	0.9
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.

5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Change Jan. 86-Jan. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4374	4554	4506	132
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Agriculture	107	109	107	0
Other Primary	59	53	49	-10
Manufacturing	1002	1009	993	-9
Construction	213	254	226	13
Transportation	316	307	308	-8
Trade	753	803	785	32
Finance	280	294	295	15
Service	1369	1438	1447	78
Public Administration	273	287	296	23
Occupation	4374	4554	4506	132
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Managerial	1281	1312	1322	41
Clerical	754	777	767	13
Sales	425	439	433	8
Service	568	602	598	30
Primary	135	125	121	-14
Processing	669	717	714	45
Construction	211	236	215	4
Transportation	153	158	152	-1
Materials Handling	177	188	184	7

# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Change Jan. 86-Jan. 87	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Change Jan. 86-Jan. 87
All Ages	392	315	360	-32	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	137	101	115	-22	34.9	32.1	31.9	-3.0
5 - 13 weeks	120	103	112	-8	30.6	32.7	31.1	0.5
14 weeks and over	132	109	131	-1	33.7	34.6	36.4	2.7
Average duration (weeks)	15.4	15.7	15.8	0.4	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	146	107	125	-21	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	58	39	54	-4	39.7	36.4	43.2	3.5
5 - 13 weeks	45	37	40	-5	30.8	34.6	32.0	1.2
14 weeks and over	41	31	31	-10	28.1	29.0	24.8	-3.3
Average duration (weeks)	11.7	12.1	10.7	-1.0	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	177	145	166	-11	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	60	45	47	-13	33.9	31.0	28.3	-5.6
5 - 13 weeks	55	50	51	-4	31.1	34.5	30.7	-0.4
14 weeks and over	60	48	66	6	33.9	33.1	39.8	5.9
Average duration (weeks)	16.4	15.9	16.8	0.4	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	69	63	70	1	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	18	16	14	-4	26.1	25.4	20.0	-6.1
5 - 13 weeks	20	16	21	1	29.0	25.4	30.0	1.0
14 weeks and over	31	30	34	3	44.9	47.6	48.6	3.6
Average duration (weeks)	20.4	21.3	22.4	2.0	--	--	--	--

7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Change Jan. 86-Jan. 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	60	42	51	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.7	11.1	13.5	-3.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	24	13	26	2
5 - 13 weeks	19	17	13	-6
14 weeks and over	17	12	11	-6
Average duration (weeks)	11.0	11.0	9.2	-1.8
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	27	22	22	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	24.3	18.8	20.0	-4.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	8	6	9	1
5 - 13 weeks	11	11	8	-3
14 weeks and over	9	5	5	-4
Average duration (weeks)	11.6	11.8	11.4	-0.2
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	85	65	74	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.1	10.1	11.5	-1.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	34	26	27	-7
5 - 13 weeks	26	20	27	1
14 weeks and over	24	20	20	-4
Average duration (weeks)	12.2	12.9	11.8	-0.4
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	81	62	68	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.9	11.0	12.1	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	32	24	25	-7
5 - 13 weeks	26	19	25	-1
14 weeks and over	23	19	18	-5
Average duration (weeks)	12.5	13.1	12.0	-0.5

8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Change Jan. 86-Jan. 87
METROPOLITAN AREA				
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Mull				
Labour Force	417	435	435	18
Employment	385	402	401	16
Unemployment	33	33	34	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	7.5	7.9	0.0
Sudbury				
Labour Force	61	63	67	6
Employment	52	57	58	6
Unemployment	9	7	8	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.6	10.3	12.6	-2.0
Oshawa				
Labour Force	88	93	93	5
Employment	79	89	86	7
Unemployment	9	4	7	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.7	4.8	7.7	-2.0
Toronto				
Labour Force	1788	1815	1825	37
Employment	1676	1737	1738	62
Unemployment	112	78	87	-25
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	4.3	4.8	-1.5
Hamilton				
Labour Force	294	315	311	17
Employment	273	290	289	16
Unemployment	21	25	22	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	7.9	7.2	0.1
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	143	144	149	6
Employment	126	132	129	3
Unemployment	17	11	20	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.1	7.9	13.5	1.4
London				
Labour Force	156	161	160	4
Employment	141	151	149	8
Unemployment	15	9	12	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	5.9	7.2	-2.3
Windsor				
Labour Force	115	121	122	7
Employment	103	112	112	9
Unemployment	11	9	10	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	7.6	8.5	-1.4
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	172	168	167	-5
Employment	160	158	156	-4
Unemployment	12	10	11	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.0	6.7	-0.1
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	62	65	65	3
Employment	54	60	59	5
Unemployment	9	5	6	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.3	7.2	9.6	-4.7

9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Jan. 1986	Dec. 1986	Jan. 1987	Change Jan. 86-Jan. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4765	4869	4866	101
Employment	4374	4554	4506	132
Unemployment	392	315	360	-32
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	6.5	7.4	-0.8
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	207	205	205	-2
Employment	161	166	161	0
Unemployment	45	39	44	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	21.9	18.8	21.4	-0.5
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	55	57	56	1
Employment	46	47	46	0
Unemployment	9	10	10	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.3	16.8	17.8	1.5
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	382	391	383	1
Employment	326	337	322	-4
Unemployment	55	54	60	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.5	13.8	15.8	1.3
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	294	299	297	3
Employment	245	261	253	8
Unemployment	49	39	45	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.8	12.9	15.0	-1.8
Quebec				
Labour Force	3164	3188	3159	-5
Employment	2774	2858	2789	15
Unemployment	391	330	370	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.3	10.3	11.7	-0.6
Manitoba				
Labour Force	521	537	536	15
Employment	474	494	488	14
Unemployment	47	43	48	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	8.0	9.0	0.1
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	484	483	480	-4
Employment	441	447	440	-1
Unemployment	44	36	41	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	7.4	8.5	-0.6
Alberta				
Labour Force	1242	1254	1251	9
Employment	1127	1133	1107	-20
Unemployment	115	121	144	29
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	9.6	11.5	2.3
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1428	1442	1441	13
Employment	1228	1248	1221	-7
Unemployment	200	195	220	20
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.0	13.5	15.3	1.3
CANADA				
Labour Force	12543	12725	12675	132
Employment	11196	11545	11333	137
Unemployment	1347	1180	1342	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	9.3	10.6	-0.1



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change Feb. 86- Feb. 87
	January 1987	February 1987	Change	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	
ONTARIO							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7109	7221	7232	123
Males	-	-	-	3458	3513	3519	61
Females	-	-	-	3652	3708	3713	61
Labour Force	4966	4978	12	4803	4866	4897	94
Males	2777	2785	8	2690	2717	2728	38
Females	2189	2193	4	2114	2150	2168	54
Participation Rate (%)	68.8	68.8	0.0	67.6	67.4	67.7	0.1
Males	79.0	79.1	0.1	77.8	77.3	77.5	-0.3
Females	59.0	59.1	0.1	57.9	58.0	58.4	0.5
Employment	4640	4641	1	4424	4506	4533	109
Males	2613	2612	-1	2476	2521	2530	54
Females	2027	2029	2	1948	1985	2004	56
Unemployment	326	337	11	379	360	363	-16
Males	164	173	9	214	196	198	-16
Females	162	164	2	165	165	165	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	6.8	0.2	7.9	7.4	7.4	-0.5
Males	5.9	6.2	0.3	7.9	7.2	7.3	-0.6
Females	7.4	7.5	0.1	7.8	7.7	7.6	-0.2
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19510	19715	19735	225
Males	-	-	-	9535	9634	9643	108
Females	-	-	-	9976	10081	10091	115
Labour Force	13002	13029	27	12589	12675	12761	172
Males	7388	7407	19	7161	7180	7220	59
Females	5614	5622	8	5427	5495	5541	114
Participation Rate (%)	65.9	66.0	0.1	64.5	64.3	64.7	0.2
Males	76.7	76.8	0.1	75.1	74.5	74.9	-0.2
Females	55.7	55.7	0.0	54.4	54.5	54.9	0.5
Employment	11747	11777	30	11247	11333	11426	179
Males	6701	6709	8	6376	6404	6440	64
Females	5046	5068	22	4872	4929	4986	114
Unemployment	1255	1252	-3	1341	1342	1335	-6
Males	687	698	11	786	776	780	-6
Females	568	554	-14	556	566	555	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.7	9.6	-0.1	10.7	10.6	10.5	-0.2
Males	9.3	9.4	0.1	11.0	10.8	10.8	-0.2
Females	10.1	9.9	-0.2	10.2	10.3	10.0	-0.2



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Feb. 86- Feb. 87	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Feb. 86- Feb. 87	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Feb. 86- Feb. 87
Males	3458	3513	3519	1.8	77.8	77.3	77.5	-0.4	2690	2717	2728	1.4
15-24	769	761	760	-1.2	69.8	69.7	71.4	2.3	537	531	543	1.1
15-19	351	349	349	-0.6	54.0	56.0	56.7	5.0	190	195	198	4.2
20-24	419	412	412	-1.7	83.0	81.3	83.8	1.0	347	335	345	-0.6
25-44	1400	1441	1446	3.3	96.1	95.3	94.8	-1.4	1345	1374	1371	1.9
25-34	760	781	784	3.2	95.9	94.9	94.3	-1.7	729	741	739	1.4
35-44	641	660	662	3.3	96.2	95.9	95.4	-0.8	616	633	632	2.6
45 +	1288	1311	1313	1.9	62.7	61.9	62.1	-1.0	807	812	815	1.0
45-54	471	477	477	1.3	92.8	93.5	93.1	0.3	437	446	444	1.6
55-64	426	430	430	0.9	75.3	72.2	73.0	-3.1	320	311	314	-1.9
65 +	391	405	406	3.8	12.7	13.8	13.9	9.4	50	56	56	12.0
Females	3652	3708	3713	1.7	57.9	58.0	58.4	0.9	2114	2150	2168	2.6
15-24	746	735	734	-1.6	65.9	66.2	67.8	2.9	492	486	498	1.2
15-19	335	333	332	-0.9	54.8	54.9	56.0	2.2	184	183	186	1.1
20-24	410	402	401	-2.2	75.1	75.5	77.6	3.3	308	304	312	1.3
25-44	1445	1485	1490	3.1	76.6	77.2	77.2	0.8	1107	1147	1150	3.9
25-34	792	810	812	2.5	77.5	77.8	77.4	-0.1	614	630	629	2.4
35-44	653	675	678	3.8	75.5	76.4	76.9	1.9	493	516	521	5.7
45 +	1461	1487	1490	2.0	35.3	34.7	35.0	-0.8	515	517	521	1.2
45-54	473	480	481	1.7	66.3	67.5	67.9	2.4	314	324	326	3.8
55-64	459	460	460	0.2	38.6	38.4	38.5	-0.3	177	177	177	0.0
65 +	529	547	549	3.8	4.6	2.9	3.1	-32.6	24	16	17	-25.2
Both Sexes	7109	7221	7232	1.7	67.6	67.4	67.7	0.1	4803	4866	4897	2.0
15-24	1515	1496	1494	-1.4	67.9	68.0	69.6	2.5	1028	1017	1040	1.2
15-19	686	681	681	-0.7	54.4	55.5	56.4	3.7	373	378	384	2.9
20-24	829	815	813	-1.9	79.1	78.5	80.7	2.0	655	639	656	0.2
25-44	2845	2926	2935	3.2	86.2	86.1	85.9	-0.3	2452	2520	2521	2.8
25-34	1552	1591	1596	2.8	86.5	86.2	85.7	-0.9	1343	1372	1368	1.9
35-44	1294	1335	1340	3.6	85.7	86.0	86.0	0.4	1109	1149	1153	4.0
45 +	2749	2798	2803	2.0	48.1	47.5	47.7	-0.8	1323	1329	1336	1.0
45-54	945	957	958	1.4	79.5	80.5	80.5	1.3	751	770	771	2.7
55-64	884	890	890	0.7	56.3	54.7	55.2	-2.0	497	487	491	-1.2
65 +	920	952	954	3.7	8.0	7.5	7.7	-3.8	74	72	74	0.0



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86- Feb. 87	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86- Feb. 87	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86- Feb. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2476	2521	2530	54	2261	2305	2304	43	214	216	226	12
15-24	450	456	468	18	292	298	302	10	158	157	166	8
25-44	1255	1288	1283	28	1233	1262	1257	24	22	27	26	4
45 +	770	777	779	9	736	745	745	9	34	32	34	0
45-54	419	428	424	5	414	423	417	3	5	5	7	2
55-64	301	294	300	-1	289	282	289	0	13	12	11	-2
65 +	49	54	55	6	33	40	40	7	16	14	15	-1
Females	1948	1985	2004	56	1423	1444	1458	35	525	541	545	20
15-24	427	437	445	18	242	241	249	7	185	195	196	11
25-44	1033	1066	1076	43	819	848	848	29	214	218	229	15
45 +	488	482	483	-5	362	355	361	-1	126	128	120	-6
45-54	296	305	302	6	227	232	232	5	69	72	70	1
55-64	168	161	164	-4	124	114	121	-3	44	47	43	-1
65 +	24	16	17	-7	11	8	8	-3	13	8	9	-4
Both Sexes	4424	4506	4533	109	3684	3750	3762	78	740	757	771	31
15-24	878	893	913	35	535	540	551	16	343	353	362	19
25-44	2288	2355	2359	71	2052	2110	2104	52	236	245	255	19
45 +	1258	1259	1261	3	1097	1100	1107	10	161	159	154	-7
45-54	716	733	726	10	641	656	649	8	75	77	77	2
55-64	470	455	464	-6	412	396	410	-2	57	59	54	-3
65 +	73	70	72	-1	44	48	48	4	29	22	24	-5

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86- Feb. 87	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86- Feb. 87
Males	214	196	198	-16	7.9	7.2	7.3	-0.6
15-24	86	75	74	-12	16.1	14.1	13.7	-2.4
15-19	38	30	26	-12	20.3	15.6	13.3	-7.0
20-24	48	44	48	0	13.8	13.2	13.9	0.1
25-44	90	85	88	-2	6.7	6.2	6.4	-0.3
25-34	59	60	59	0	8.1	8.0	8.0	-0.1
35-44	31	26	29	-2	5.0	4.1	4.5	-0.5
45 +	38	35	36	-2	4.7	4.3	4.4	-0.3
45-54	18	17	21	3	4.2	3.9	4.7	0.5
55-64	19	17	14	-5	5.9	5.3	4.4	-1.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	165	165	165	0	7.8	7.7	7.6	-0.2
15-24	64	50	53	-11	13.1	10.2	10.7	-2.4
15-19	29	21	26	-3	16.0	11.2	13.7	-2.3
20-24	35	29	27	-8	11.4	9.6	8.8	-2.6
25-44	74	80	74	0	6.7	7.0	6.4	-0.3
25-34	45	48	42	-3	7.3	7.6	6.6	-0.7
35-44	29	32	32	3	5.9	6.2	6.1	0.2
45 +	27	35	38	11	5.2	6.7	7.3	2.1
45-54	17	19	25	8	5.6	6.0	7.5	1.9
55-64	9	15	13	4	5.1	8.5	7.5	2.4
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	379	360	363	-16	7.9	7.4	7.4	-0.5
15-24	151	125	127	-24	14.7	12.3	12.2	-2.5
15-19	68	51	52	-16	18.2	13.5	13.5	-4.7
20-24	83	74	75	-8	12.7	11.5	11.5	-1.2
25-44	164	166	162	-2	6.7	6.6	6.4	-0.3
25-34	104	108	101	-3	7.8	7.8	7.4	-0.4
35-44	60	58	60	0	5.4	5.0	5.2	-0.2
45 +	64	70	74	10	4.9	5.3	5.6	0.7
45-54	36	37	45	9	4.8	4.8	5.9	1.1
55-64	28	32	27	-1	5.6	6.5	5.5	-0.1
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-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86-Feb. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4424	4506	4533	109
Agriculture	106	107	111	5
Other Primary	57	49	49	-8
Manufacturing	1026	993	997	-29
Construction	213	226	220	7
Transportation	315	308	300	-15
Trade	769	785	809	40
Finance	284	295	286	2
Service	1373	1447	1469	96
Public Administration	281	296	292	11
Occupation	4424	4506	4533	109
Managerial	1285	1322	1339	54
Clerical	764	767	783	19
Sales	424	433	449	25
Service	575	598	594	19
Primary	132	121	125	-7
Processing	699	714	686	-13
Construction	213	215	211	-2
Transportation	151	152	164	13
Materials Handling	180	184	184	4



6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86-Feb. 87	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86-Feb. 87
All Ages	379	360	363	-16	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	93	115	102	9	24.5	31.9	28.1	3.6
5 - 13 weeks	139	112	118	-21	36.7	31.1	32.5	-4.2
14 weeks and over	143	131	139	-4	37.7	36.4	38.3	0.6
Average duration (weeks)	17.0	15.8	16.8	-0.2	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	151	125	127	-24	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	50	54	42	-8	33.1	43.2	33.1	-0.0
5 - 13 weeks	55	40	46	-9	36.4	32.0	36.2	-0.2
14 weeks and over	45	31	37	-8	29.8	24.8	29.1	-0.7
Average duration (weeks)	13.0	10.7	12.3	-0.7	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	164	166	162	-2	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	32	47	43	11	19.5	28.3	26.5	7.0
5 - 13 weeks	61	51	49	-12	37.2	30.7	30.2	-6.9
14 weeks and over	70	66	67	-3	42.7	39.8	41.4	-1.3
Average duration (weeks)	18.7	16.8	18.3	-0.4	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	64	70	74	10	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	12	14	17	5	18.8	20.0	23.0	4.2
5 - 13 weeks	24	21	22	-2	37.5	30.0	29.7	-7.8
14 weeks and over	28	34	35	7	43.8	48.6	47.3	3.5
Average duration (weeks)	22.2	22.4	21.5	-0.7	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86-Feb. 87
<b>TOTAL (15-19 yrs)</b>				
Unemployed (000)	68	51	52	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.2	13.5	13.5	-4.7
Duration				
4 weeks or less	25	26	22	-3
5 - 13 weeks	24	13	17	-7
14 weeks and over	18	11	13	-5
Average duration (weeks)	10.8	9.2	10.0	-0.8
<b>Not Attending School Full-time</b>				
Unemployed (000)	28	22	21	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	23.5	20.0	17.9	-5.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	9	9	8	-1
5 - 13 weeks	11	8	7	-4
14 weeks and over	8	5	6	-2
Average duration (weeks)	12.1	11.4	11.0	-1.1
<b>TOTAL (20-24 yrs)</b>				
Unemployed (000)	83	74	75	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.7	11.5	11.5	-1.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	24	27	20	-4
5 - 13 weeks	31	27	29	-2
14 weeks and over	28	20	24	-4
Average duration (weeks)	14.8	11.8	13.9	-0.9
<b>Not Attending School Full-time</b>				
Unemployed (000)	78	68	73	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.4	12.1	12.8	-0.7
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	25	20	-2
5 - 13 weeks	28	25	29	1
14 weeks and over	27	18	22	-5
Average duration (weeks)	15.3	12.0	13.7	-1.6



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86-Feb. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	422	435	443	21
Employment	385	401	401	16
Unemployment	37	34	42	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	7.9	9.4	0.6
Sudbury				
Labour Force	65	67	66	1
Employment	56	58	59	3
Unemployment	8	8	7	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.9	12.6	10.7	-2.2
Oshawa				
Labour Force	87	93	95	8
Employment	83	86	87	4
Unemployment	4	7	8	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.3	7.7	8.7	4.4
Toronto				
Labour Force	1795	1825	1847	52
Employment	1696	1738	1761	65
Unemployment	99	87	86	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	4.8	4.7	-0.8
Hamilton				
Labour Force	292	311	310	18
Employment	270	289	285	15
Unemployment	22	22	26	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.2	8.2	0.5
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	146	149	149	3
Employment	128	129	130	2
Unemployment	18	20	19	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.3	13.5	12.8	0.5
London				
Labour Force	160	160	158	-2
Employment	145	149	148	3
Unemployment	15	12	10	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	7.2	6.5	-2.7
Windsor				
Labour Force	116	122	127	11
Employment	105	112	114	9
Unemployment	11	10	13	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	8.5	10.3	0.8
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	178	167	168	-10
Employment	166	156	156	-10
Unemployment	12	11	12	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.7	7.0	0.2
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	62	65	63	1
Employment	55	59	57	2
Unemployment	8	6	6	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.2	9.6	9.9	-2.3



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	February 1986	January 1987	February 1987	Change Feb. 86-Feb. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4803	4866	4897	94
Employment	4424	4506	4533	109
Unemployment	379	360	363	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	7.4	7.4	-0.5
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	209	205	207	-2
Employment	165	161	166	1
Unemployment	44	44	41	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	21.3	21.4	19.9	-1.4
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	55	56	56	1
Employment	46	46	46	0
Unemployment	9	10	10	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.0	17.8	17.3	1.3
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	384	383	383	-1
Employment	328	322	321	-7
Unemployment	56	60	62	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.7	15.8	16.1	1.4
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	297	297	296	-1
Employment	248	253	254	6
Unemployment	48	45	42	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.3	15.0	14.2	-2.1
Quebec				
Labour Force	3144	3159	3205	61
Employment	2742	2789	2822	80
Unemployment	402	370	383	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.8	11.7	11.9	-0.9
Manitoba				
Labour Force	523	536	526	3
Employment	476	488	486	10
Unemployment	46	48	40	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	9.0	7.6	-1.3
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	485	480	485	0
Employment	443	440	445	2
Unemployment	42	41	40	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	8.5	8.2	-0.5
Alberta				
Labour Force	1258	1251	1253	-5
Employment	1142	1107	1108	-34
Unemployment	116	144	145	29
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	11.5	11.6	2.3
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1431	1441	1454	23
Employment	1234	1221	1245	11
Unemployment	198	220	210	12
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.8	15.3	14.4	0.6
CANADA				
Labour Force	12589	12675	12761	172
Employment	11247	11333	11426	179
Unemployment	1341	1342	1335	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	10.6	10.5	-0.2



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	February	March	Change	March	February	March	Change
	1987	1987		1986	1987	1987	Mar. 86- Mar. 87
ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7117	7232	7240	123
Males	-	-	-	3461	3519	3523	62
Females	-	-	-	3656	3713	3717	61
Labour Force	4978	4978	0	4807	4897	4919	112
Males	2785	2787	2	2694	2728	2744	50
Females	2193	2191	-2	2114	2168	2175	61
Participation Rate (%)	68.8	68.8	0.0	67.5	67.7	67.9	0.4
Males	79.1	79.1	0.0	77.6	77.5	77.9	0.1
Females	59.1	58.9	-0.2	57.6	58.4	58.5	0.7
Employment	4641	4633	-8	4438	4533	4535	97
Males	2612	2611	-1	2488	2530	2539	51
Females	2029	2022	-7	1950	2004	1996	46
Unemployment	337	345	8	369	363	383	14
Males	173	176	3	205	198	204	-1
Females	164	169	5	164	165	179	15
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.9	0.1	7.7	7.4	7.8	0.1
Males	6.2	6.3	0.1	7.6	7.3	7.4	-0.2
Females	7.5	7.7	0.2	7.8	7.6	8.2	0.4
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19528	19735	19751	223
Males	-	-	-	9543	9643	9651	108
Females	-	-	-	9984	10091	10100	116
Labour Force	13029	13054	25	12681	12761	12906	225
Males	7407	7418	11	7212	7220	7288	76
Females	5622	5636	14	5469	5541	5617	148
Participation Rate (%)	66.0	66.1	0.1	64.9	64.7	65.3	0.4
Males	76.8	76.9	0.1	75.6	74.9	75.5	-0.1
Females	55.7	55.8	0.1	54.8	54.9	55.6	0.8
Employment	11777	11800	23	11301	11426	11508	207
Males	6709	6725	16	6408	6440	6480	72
Females	5068	5075	7	4892	4986	5028	136
Unemployment	1252	1254	2	1380	1335	1397	17
Males	698	693	-5	803	780	808	5
Females	554	561	7	577	555	589	12
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.6	0.0	10.9	10.5	10.8	-0.1
Males	9.4	9.3	-0.1	11.1	10.8	11.1	0.0
Females	9.9	10.0	0.1	10.5	10.0	10.5	0.0



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	% Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	% Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	% Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87
Males	3461	3519	3523	1.8	77.8	77.5	77.9	0.1	2694	2728	2744	1.9
15-24	768	760	759	-1.2	70.1	71.4	73.1	4.3	539	543	555	3.0
15-19	350	349	348	-0.6	55.3	56.7	59.7	8.0	194	198	208	7.2
20-24	418	412	411	-1.7	62.5	63.8	64.5	2.4	345	345	347	0.6
25-44	1403	1446	1449	3.3	96.5	94.8	95.5	-1.0	1354	1371	1384	2.2
25-34	761	784	786	3.3	96.2	94.3	94.9	-1.4	733	739	746	1.8
35-44	642	662	664	3.4	96.6	95.4	96.2	-0.6	621	632	636	2.7
45 +	1290	1313	1315	1.9	62.1	62.1	61.2	-1.4	801	815	804	0.4
45-54	472	477	478	1.3	93.3	93.1	93.8	0.5	440	444	448	1.8
55-64	426	430	430	0.9	74.1	73.0	72.3	-2.4	316	314	311	-1.6
65 +	392	406	406	3.6	11.4	13.9	11.1	-2.6	45	55	45	0.0
Females	3656	3713	3717	1.7	57.8	58.4	58.5	1.2	2114	2168	2175	2.9
15-24	745	734	733	-1.6	66.3	67.8	67.4	1.7	494	498	494	0.0
15-19	335	332	332	-0.9	53.3	56.0	57.3	7.5	178	186	190	6.7
20-24	410	401	401	-2.2	76.9	77.6	75.7	-1.6	315	312	303	-3.8
25-44	1448	1490	1453	3.1	76.6	77.2	77.1	0.7	1110	1150	1151	3.7
25-34	793	812	814	2.6	77.4	77.4	76.8	-0.8	614	629	625	1.8
35-44	655	678	680	3.8	75.7	75.9	77.5	2.4	496	521	527	6.3
45 +	1463	1490	1491	1.9	34.9	35.0	35.6	2.0	510	521	530	3.9
45-54	474	481	481	1.5	64.9	67.9	69.1	6.5	308	326	333	8.1
55-64	459	460	460	0.2	39.2	38.5	38.7	-1.3	180	177	178	-1.1
65 +	530	549	550	3.8	4.3	3.1	3.5	-18.6	23	17	19	-17.4
Both Sexes	7117	7232	7240	1.7	67.5	67.7	67.9	0.6	4807	4897	4919	2.3
15-24	1513	1494	1492	-1.4	68.2	69.6	70.3	3.1	1033	1040	1049	1.5
15-19	685	681	680	-0.7	54.3	56.4	58.6	7.9	372	384	399	7.3
20-24	828	813	812	-1.9	79.7	80.7	80.1	0.5	660	656	650	-1.5
25-44	2851	2935	2943	3.2	86.4	85.9	86.2	-0.2	2464	2521	2535	2.9
25-34	1554	1596	1599	2.9	86.6	85.7	85.7	-1.0	1347	1368	1370	1.7
35-44	1297	1340	1343	3.5	86.1	86.0	86.7	0.7	1117	1153	1165	4.3
45 +	2753	2803	2806	1.9	47.6	47.7	47.6	0.0	1311	1336	1334	1.8
45-54	946	958	959	1.4	79.1	80.5	81.4	2.9	748	771	781	4.4
55-64	885	890	890	0.6	56.0	55.2	54.9	-2.0	496	491	485	-1.4
65 +	922	954	956	3.7	7.3	7.7	6.8	-6.8	68	74	65	-4.4



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment					Full-time Employment					Part-time Employment			
	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87		March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87		March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )														
Males	2488	2530	2539	51		2272	2304	2316	44		217	226	223	6
15-24	463	468	475	12		303	302	308	5		160	166	167	7
25-44	1266	1283	1301	35		1242	1257	1276	34		24	26	25	1
45 +	759	779	763	4		727	745	732	5		33	34	31	-2
45-54	420	424	426	6		414	417	419	5		6	7	7	1
55-64	295	300	292	-3		281	289	280	-1		14	11	12	-2
65 +	44	55	45	1		31	40	34	3		13	15	11	-2
Females	1950	2004	1996	46		1435	1458	1460	25		515	545	536	21
15-24	433	445	441	8		248	249	253	5		186	196	187	1
25-44	1030	1076	1072	42		822	848	855	33		208	229	217	9
45 +	487	483	484	-3		365	361	352	-13		121	120	132	11
45-54	292	302	303	11		224	232	227	3		67	70	76	9
55-64	172	164	163	-9		128	121	116	-12		45	43	47	2
65 +	23	17	18	-5		14	8	9	-5		9	9	9	0
Both Sexes	4438	4533	4535	97		3707	3762	3777	70		731	771	759	28
15-24	897	913	916	19		550	551	561	11		346	362	355	9
25-44	2296	2359	2373	77		2064	2104	2131	67		232	255	242	12
45 +	1246	1261	1247	1		1093	1107	1085	-8		153	155	162	9
45-54	712	726	729	17		639	649	646	7		73	77	83	10
55-64	467	464	454	-13		409	410	396	-13		59	54	58	-1
65 +	67	72	63	-4		45	48	42	-3		22	24	21	-1

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



# 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)					Unemployment Rate (%)			
	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87		March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86- Mar. 87
Males	205	198	204	-1		7.6	7.3	7.4	-0.2
15-24	76	74	82	4		14.1	13.7	14.4	0.3
15-19	30	26	38	8		15.6	13.3	18.3	2.7
20-24	46	48	42	-4		13.2	13.9	12.1	-1.1
25-44	88	88	83	-5		6.5	6.4	6.0	-0.5
25-34	57	59	56	-1		7.8	8.0	7.5	-0.3
35-44	31	29	27	-4		4.9	4.5	4.2	-0.7
45 +	41	36	41	0		5.2	4.4	5.1	-0.1
45-54	20	21	22	2		4.6	4.7	4.9	0.3
55-64	21	14	19	-2		6.5	4.4	6.1	-0.4
65 +	--	--	--	--		--	--	--	--
Females	164	165	179	15		7.8	7.6	8.2	0.4
15-24	60	53	53	-7		12.2	10.7	10.7	-1.5
15-19	27	26	29	2		14.9	13.7	15.2	0.3
20-24	34	27	24	-10		10.7	8.8	7.9	-2.8
25-44	80	74	79	-1		7.2	6.4	6.9	-0.3
25-34	49	42	43	-6		7.9	6.6	7.0	-0.9
35-44	31	32	36	5		6.3	6.1	6.8	0.5
45 +	24	38	47	23		4.6	7.3	8.8	4.2
45-54	16	25	30	14		5.2	7.5	9.0	3.8
55-64	8	13	15	7		4.2	7.5	8.6	4.4
65 +	--	--	--	--		--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	369	363	383	14		7.7	7.4	7.8	0.1
15-24	136	127	133	-3		13.2	12.2	12.7	-0.5
15-19	57	52	67	10		15.2	13.5	16.8	1.6
20-24	79	75	66	-13		12.0	11.5	10.2	-1.8
25-44	168	162	163	-5		6.8	6.4	6.4	-0.4
25-34	106	101	100	-6		7.9	7.4	7.3	-0.6
35-44	62	60	63	1		5.6	5.2	5.4	-0.2
45 +	65	74	88	23		5.0	5.6	6.6	1.6
45-54	36	45	52	16		4.9	5.9	6.6	1.7
55-64	28	27	34	6		5.7	5.5	7.0	1.3
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-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86-Mar. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4438	4533	4535	97
Agriculture	115	111	110	-5
Other Primary	53	49	47	-6
Manufacturing	1031	997	1009	-22
Construction	216	220	235	19
Transportation	327	300	305	-22
Trade	778	809	800	22
Finance	266	286	283	17
Service	1377	1469	1457	80
Public Administration	274	292	290	16
Occupation	4438	4533	4535	97
Managerial	1268	1339	1331	43
Clerical	754	783	787	33
Sales	431	449	432	1
Service	560	594	588	28
Primary	140	125	124	-16
Processing	705	686	698	-7
Construction	218	211	222	4
Transportation	147	164	166	19
Materials handling	194	184	188	-6



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)					PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86-Mar. 87		March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86-Mar. 87
All Ages	369	363	383	14		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	99	102	91	-8		26.8	28.1	23.8	-3.1
5 - 13 weeks	112	118	125	13		30.4	32.5	32.6	2.3
14 weeks and over	151	139	160	9		40.9	38.3	41.8	0.9
Average duration (weeks)	17.0	16.8	18.6	1.6		--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	136	127	133	-3		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	44	42	41	-3		32.4	33.1	30.8	-1.5
5 - 13 weeks	42	46	53	11		30.9	36.2	39.8	9.0
14 weeks and over	46	37	38	-8		33.8	29.1	28.6	-5.3
Average duration (weeks)	13.9	12.3	13.3	-0.6		--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	168	162	163	-5		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	45	43	36	-9		26.8	26.5	22.1	-4.7
5 - 13 weeks	48	49	46	-2		28.6	30.2	28.2	-0.4
14 weeks and over	72	67	78	6		42.9	41.4	47.9	5.0
Average duration (weeks)	17.4	18.3	19.9	2.5		--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	65	74	88	23		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	10	17	14	4		15.4	23.0	15.9	0.5
5 - 13 weeks	22	22	27	5		33.8	29.7	30.7	-3.2
14 weeks and over	32	35	44	12		49.2	47.3	50.0	0.8
Average duration (weeks)	22.3	21.5	24.5	2.2		--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86-Mar. 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	57	52	67	10
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.2	13.5	16.8	1.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	23	22	25	2
5 - 13 weeks	18	17	28	10
14 weeks and over	15	13	13	-2
Average duration (weeks)	11.1	10.0	9.9	-1.2
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	32	21	25	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	25.2	17.9	18.9	-6.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	12	8	8	-4
5 - 13 weeks	10	7	11	1
14 weeks and over	9	6	6	-3
Average duration (weeks)	12.0	11.0	11.7	-0.3
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	79	75	66	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	12	11.5	10.2	-1.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	20	15	-7
5 - 13 weeks	24	29	25	1
14 weeks and over	32	24	25	-7
Average duration (weeks)	15.8	13.9	16.8	1.0
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	76	73	63	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.9	12.8	11.1	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	20	20	14	-6
5 - 13 weeks	23	29	25	2
14 weeks and over	31	22	23	-8
Average duration (weeks)	16.3	13.7	16.6	0.4



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86-Mar. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	422	443	447	25
Employment	384	401	402	18
Unemployment	38	42	45	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	9.4	10.0	0.9
Sudbury				
Labour Force	63	66	67	4
Employment	56	59	60	4
Unemployment	7	7	8	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.1	10.7	11.5	0.4
Oshawa				
Labour Force	89	95	94	5
Employment	85	87	85	0
Unemployment	4	8	9	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.0	8.7	9.9	5.9
Toronto				
Labour Force	1801	1847	1847	46
Employment	1703	1761	1754	51
Unemployment	97	86	93	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	4.7	5.0	-0.4
Hamilton				
Labour Force	291	310	316	25
Employment	274	285	289	15
Unemployment	18	26	27	9
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	8.2	8.5	2.4
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	141	149	153	12
Employment	126	130	132	6
Unemployment	15	19	22	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	12.8	14.1	3.3
London				
Labour Force	161	158	161	0
Employment	148	148	148	0
Unemployment	13	10	13	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	6.5	8.0	-0.2
Windsor				
Labour Force	120	127	128	8
Employment	107	114	115	8
Unemployment	12	13	13	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.3	10.3	9.9	-0.4
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	172	168	166	-6
Employment	160	156	153	-7
Unemployment	12	12	13	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	7.0	7.6	0.4
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	65	63	67	2
Employment	56	57	60	4
Unemployment	8	6	7	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.1	9.9	9.8	-3.3



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	March 1986	February 1987	March 1987	Change Mar. 86-Mar. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4807	4897	4919	112
Employment	4438	4533	4535	97
Unemployment	369	363	383	14
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.4	7.8	0.1
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	218	207	218	0
Employment	165	166	165	0
Unemployment	53	41	53	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	24.4	19.9	24.4	0
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	56	56	57	1
Employment	47	46	47	0
Unemployment	10	10	10	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.9	17.3	16.2	1.3
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	386	383	391	3
Employment	330	321	325	-5
Unemployment	58	62	65	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.9	16.1	16.7	1.8
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	304	296	307	3
Employment	250	254	257	7
Unemployment	54	42	50	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.6	14.2	16.2	-1.4
Quebec				
Labour Force	3170	3205	3250	80
Employment	2753	2822	2858	105
Unemployment	417	383	391	-26
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.2	11.9	12.0	-1.2
Manitoba				
Labour Force	527	526	534	7
Employment	477	486	486	9
Unemployment	50	40	48	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	7.6	9.0	-0.5
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	491	485	484	-7
Employment	444	445	442	-2
Unemployment	47	40	41	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	8.2	8.6	-0.9
Alberta				
Labour Force	1268	1253	1267	-1
Employment	1139	1108	1126	-13
Unemployment	129	145	141	12
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.2	11.6	11.1	0.9
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1452	1454	1479	27
Employment	1257	1245	1266	9
Unemployment	195	210	213	18
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.4	14.4	14.4	1.0
CANADA				
Labour Force	12681	12761	12906	225
Employment	11301	11426	11508	207
Unemployment	1380	1335	1397	17
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.9	10.5	10.8	-0.1



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT.  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				UNADJUSTED			
	March	April	Change		April	March	April	Change
	1987	1987			1986	1987	1987	Apr. 86- Apr. 87
ONTARIO								
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)								
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-		7127	7240	7249	122
Males	-	-	-		3466	3523	3528	62
Females	-	-	-		3661	3717	3721	60
Labour Force	4978	4963	-15		4860	4919	4914	54
Males	2787	2779	-8		2725	2744	2745	20
Females	2191	2184	-7		2135	2175	2168	33
Participation Rate (%)	68.8	68.5	-0.3		68.2	67.9	67.8	-0.4
Males	79.1	78.8	-0.3		78.6	77.9	77.8	-0.2
Females	58.9	58.7	-0.2		58.3	58.5	58.3	2.0
Employment	4633	4645	12		4510	4535	4567	77
Males	2611	2617	6		2538	2539	2575	37
Females	2022	2028	6		1971	1996	2012	41
Unemployment	345	318	-27		350	383	327	-23
Males	176	162	-14		187	204	170	-17
Females	169	156	-13		164	179	157	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	6.4	-0.5		7.2	7.8	6.7	-0.5
Males	6.3	5.8	-0.5		6.8	7.4	6.2	-0.6
Females	7.7	7.1	-0.6		7.7	8.2	7.2	-0.5
CANADA								
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-		19549	19751	19769	220
Males	-	-	-		9554	9651	9659	105
Females	-	-	-		9995	10100	10109	114
Labour Force	13054	13061	7		12734	12906	12913	179
Males	7416	7417	-1		7261	7288	7305	48
Females	5638	5644	6		5473	5617	5604	131
Participation Rate (%)	66.1	66.1	0.0		65.1	65.3	65.3	0.2
Males	76.9	76.8	-0.1		76.0	75.5	75.7	-0.3
Females	55.8	55.8	0.0		54.8	55.6	55.4	0.6
Employment	11800	11850	50		11431	11508	11641	210
Males	6725	6754	29		6507	6480	6585	78
Females	5075	5096	21		4924	5028	5057	133
Unemployment	1254	1211	-43		1303	1397	1271	-32
Males	693	663	-30		754	808	724	-30
Females	561	548	-13		549	589	547	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.3	-0.3		10.2	10.8	9.8	-0.4
Males	9.3	8.9	-0.4		10.4	11.1	9.9	-0.5
Females	10.0	9.7	-0.3		10.0	10.5	9.8	-0.2



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	% Change Apr. 86- Apr. 87	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	% Change Apr. 86- Apr. 87	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	% Change Apr. 86- Apr. 87
males	3466	3523	3528	1.8	78.6	77.9	77.8	-1.0	2725	2744	2745	0.7
15-24	768	759	758	-1.3	72.8	73.1	71.9	-1.2	559	555	545	-2.5
15-19	352	348	348	-0.6	58.7	59.7	58.1	-1.0	205	208	202	-1.5
20-24	416	411	410	-1.9	84.7	84.5	83.5	-1.4	354	347	343	-3.1
25-44	1407	1449	1453	3.3	96.5	95.5	95.7	-0.8	1358	1384	1390	2.4
25-34	763	786	788	3.3	96.5	94.9	95.3	-1.2	736	746	751	2.0
35-44	644	664	665	3.3	96.6	96.2	96.1	-0.5	622	638	639	2.7
45 +	1292	1315	1318	2.0	62.5	61.2	61.5	-1.6	806	804	812	0.2
45-54	472	478	478	1.3	93.7	93.8	93.7	0.0	442	448	448	1.4
55-64	427	430	431	0.9	74.8	72.3	72.2	-3.5	319	311	311	-2.5
65 +	393	406	407	3.6	11.6	11.1	12.5	5.9	46	45	51	10.9
females	3661	3717	3721	1.6	58.3	58.5	58.3	0.0	2135	2175	2168	1.5
15-24	743	733	732	-1.5	57.5	57.4	55.9	-2.4	502	494	482	-4.8
15-19	334	332	332	-0.6	56.8	57.3	54.4	-4.2	190	190	180	-5.3
20-24	409	421	400	-2.2	76.3	75.7	75.5	-1.0	312	323	302	-3.2
25-44	1452	1493	1497	3.1	77.2	77.1	77.0	-0.3	1121	1151	1152	2.8
25-34	795	814	815	2.5	77.1	76.8	76.9	-0.3	613	625	627	2.3
35-44	657	682	681	3.7	77.3	77.5	77.1	-0.3	538	527	526	0.5
45 +	1465	1491	1493	1.9	35.0	35.6	35.7	2.0	512	530	534	4.3
45-54	474	481	482	1.7	65.0	69.1	68.7	5.7	308	333	331	7.5
55-64	459	460	460	0.2	39.6	36.7	42.1	1.3	162	178	185	1.6
65 +	532	550	551	3.6	4.1	3.5	3.2	-22.0	22	19	18	-16.2
Both Sexes	7127	7242	7249	1.7	68.2	67.9	67.8	-0.6	4860	4919	4914	1.1
15-24	1511	1492	1490	-1.4	70.2	70.3	68.9	-1.9	1061	1049	1027	-3.2
15-19	684	682	680	-0.6	57.0	58.6	55.3	-2.6	396	399	383	-3.3
20-24	827	812	810	-2.1	80.5	80.1	79.6	-1.1	666	650	645	-3.2
25-44	2859	2943	2950	3.2	86.7	86.2	86.2	-0.6	2479	2535	2543	2.6
25-34	1558	1599	1603	2.9	86.6	85.7	85.9	-0.8	1349	1372	1376	2.1
35-44	1301	1343	1347	3.5	86.8	86.7	86.5	-0.3	1130	1165	1165	3.1
45 +	2757	2806	2809	1.9	47.9	47.6	47.8	-0.2	1320	1334	1344	1.8
45-54	946	959	960	1.5	79.4	81.4	81.1	2.1	751	781	779	3.7
55-64	886	890	891	0.6	56.6	54.9	55.6	-1.8	501	489	495	-1.2
65 +	925	956	958	3.6	7.4	6.8	7.2	-2.7	68	65	69	1.5



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
			Change				Change				Change	
	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Apr. 86- Apr. 87	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Apr. 86- Apr. 87	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Apr. 86- Apr. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
males	2538	2539	2575	37	2302	2316	2354	52	226	223	222	-14
15-24	493	475	482	-11	319	308	317	-2	175	167	165	-12
25-44	1273	1301	1319	46	1250	1276	1297	47	24	25	22	-2
45 +	772	763	775	3	733	732	740	7	37	31	35	-2
45-54	427	426	431	4	420	419	425	5	6	7	6	3
55-64	300	292	294	-6	282	282	281	-1	17	12	13	-
65 +	45	45	50	5	31	34	34	3	14	11	16	2
females	1971	1996	2012	41	1442	1460	1471	29	530	536	541	11
15-24	448	441	439	-9	250	253	249	-1	198	187	190	-8
25-44	1037	1072	1077	40	823	855	853	30	214	217	224	10
45 +	487	484	496	9	368	352	369	0	118	132	127	9
45-54	293	303	308	15	225	227	236	11	67	76	72	5
55-64	173	163	171	-2	132	116	124	-8	41	47	47	6
65 +	21	18	17	-4	11	9	8	-3	10	9	8	-2
Both Sexes	4510	4535	4587	77	3744	3777	3824	80	766	759	762	-4
15-24	941	916	922	-19	569	561	566	-3	372	355	355	-17
25-44	2310	2373	2395	85	2073	2131	2150	77	238	242	245	7
45 +	1258	1247	1270	12	1103	1085	1108	6	156	162	162	6
45-54	720	729	739	19	646	646	661	15	74	83	76	4
55-64	472	454	465	-7	414	396	405	-9	58	58	60	2
65 +	67	63	66	-1	43	42	42	-1	24	21	24	0

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
				Change Apr. 86- Apr. 87				Change Apr. 86- Apr. 87
	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987		April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	
Males	187	204	170	-17	6.8	7.4	6.2	-0.6
15-24	66	80	63	-3	11.8	14.4	11.6	-0.2
15-19	27	38	28	1	13.3	18.3	13.7	0.4
20-24	39	42	35	-4	10.9	12.1	10.3	-0.6
25-44	85	83	72	-13	6.2	6.0	5.1	-1.1
25-34	57	56	48	-9	7.6	7.5	6.4	-1.4
35-44	28	27	23	-5	4.4	4.2	3.6	-0.8
45 +	36	41	35	-1	4.4	5.1	4.4	0.0
45-54	16	22	17	1	3.5	4.9	3.9	0.4
55-64	20	19	17	-3	6.1	6.1	5.4	-0.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	164	179	157	-7	7.7	8.2	7.2	-0.5
15-24	54	53	43	-11	10.8	10.7	8.9	-1.9
15-19	24	29	20	-4	12.4	15.2	10.9	-1.5
20-24	31	24	23	-8	9.8	7.9	7.7	-2.1
25-44	84	79	76	-8	7.5	6.9	6.6	-0.9
25-34	50	43	39	-11	8.2	7.0	6.3	-1.9
35-44	34	36	37	3	6.7	6.8	7.0	0.3
45 +	26	47	38	12	5.0	8.8	7.1	2.1
45-54	16	30	23	7	5.1	9.0	7.0	1.9
55-64	9	15	13	4	5.2	8.6	7.3	2.
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	350	383	327	-23	7.2	7.8	6.7	-0.5
15-24	120	133	106	-14	11.3	12.7	10.3	-1.0
15-19	51	67	48	-3	12.9	16.8	12.4	-0.5
20-24	69	66	58	-11	10.4	10.2	9.1	-1.3
25-44	169	163	147	-22	6.8	6.4	5.8	-1.0
25-34	107	100	88	-19	7.3	7.3	6.4	-1.5
35-44	61	63	60	-1	5.4	5.4	5.1	-0.3
45 +	62	88	73	11	4.7	6.6	5.5	0.8
45-54	31	52	41	10	4.2	6.6	5.2	1.0
55-64	29	34	30	1	5.8	7.0	6.1	0.3
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-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Change Apr. 86-Apr. 87
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)				
Industry	4510	4535	4527	77
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Agriculture	129	112	117	-12
Other Primary	55	47	55	2
Manufacturing	1022	1029	999	-23
Construction	236	235	240	12
Transportation	322	325	322	-4
Trade	729	800	790	1
Finance	265	360	299	34
Service	1415	1457	1476	61
Public Administration	276	292	258	9
Occupation	4510	4535	4527	77
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Managerial	1268	1301	1355	67
Clerical	757	737	821	44
Sales	436	432	423	-7
Service	568	588	575	7
Primary	159	124	142	-15
Processing	714	698	721	-13
Construction	231	222	236	5
Transportation	155	165	174	19
Materials Handling	203	188	176	-27



6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)					PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	April 1966	March 1967	April 1967	Change Apr. 66-Apr. 67		April 1966	March 1967	April 1967	Change Apr. 66-Apr. 67
All Ages	350	363	327	-23		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	127	91	90	-17		36.6	23.8	27.5	-3.2
5 - 13 weeks	84	125	78	-6		24.0	31.6	23.9	-2.1
14 weeks and over	150	160	149	-1		42.9	41.6	45.6	2.7
Average duration (weeks)	16.7	18.6	19.0	2.3		--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	120	133	106	-14		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	47	41	40	-7		39.2	30.8	37.7	-1.4
5 - 13 weeks	29	53	29	0		24.2	39.8	27.4	3.2
14 weeks and over	42	38	35	-7		35.0	28.6	33.0	-2.0
Average duration (weeks)	13.1	13.3	13.2	0.1		--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	169	160	147	-22		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	45	36	39	-6		26.6	22.1	26.5	-0.1
5 - 13 weeks	45	46	33	-12		26.6	28.2	22.4	-4.2
14 weeks and over	74	78	73	-1		43.8	47.9	49.7	5.9
Average duration (weeks)	17.6	19.9	20.3	2.5		--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	62	68	73	11		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	15	14	11	-4		24.2	15.9	15.1	-3.1
5 - 13 weeks	10	27	16	6		16.1	30.7	21.9	5.8
14 weeks and over	34	44	42	8		54.8	50.0	57.5	2.7
Average duration (weeks)	21.1	24.5	25.1	4.0		--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Change Apr. 86-Apr. 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	51	67	48	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.9	16.8	12.4	-0.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	24	25	23	-1
5 - 13 weeks	13	28	15	2
14 weeks and over	14	13	9	-5
Average duration (weeks)	10.1	9.9	8.5	-1.2
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	24	25	17	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	19.8	18.9	15.2	-4.7
Duration				
4 weeks or less	11	8	7	-4
5 - 13 weeks	5	11	5	0
14 weeks and over	7	6	4	-3
Average duration (weeks)	11.3	11.7	8.5	-2.8
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	69	66	58	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	10.2	9.1	-1.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	23	15	18	-5
5 - 13 weeks	16	25	14	-2
14 weeks and over	29	25	25	-4
Average duration (weeks)	15.3	16.8	16.8	1.5
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	68	63	57	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	11.1	10.0	-1.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	14	17	-5
5 - 13 weeks	16	25	13	-3
14 weeks and over	29	23	25	-4
Average duration (weeks)	15.5	16.6	17.1	1.6



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Change Apr. 86-Apr. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	426	447	444	18
Employment	391	402	402	11
Unemployment	34	45	42	8
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	10.0	9.5	1.4
Sudbury				
Labour Force	67	67	69	2
Employment	60	60	62	2
Unemployment	7	8	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	11.5	10.5	0.6
Oshawa				
Labour Force	92	94	93	1
Employment	88	88	88	0
Unemployment	4	9	5	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.6	9.9	5.1	0.5
Toronto				
Labour Force	1832	1847	1861	29
Employment	1725	1754	1778	53
Unemployment	97	93	83	-14
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.3	5.0	4.5	-0.8
Hamilton				
Labour Force	295	316	310	15
Employment	279	269	260	11
Unemployment	16	27	22	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	8.5	6.5	1.0
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	148	152	155	7
Employment	129	132	136	7
Unemployment	19	22	19	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.6	14.1	12.2	-0.4
London				
Labour Force	154	161	156	2
Employment	143	148	144	1
Unemployment	12	13	12	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	8.0	7.9	0.3
Windsor				
Labour Force	118	128	127	9
Employment	107	115	115	8
Unemployment	11	13	13	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	9.9	9.9	0.4
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	174	166	168	-6
Employment	164	153	158	-6
Unemployment	10	13	11	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	7.6	6.3	0.5
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	66	67	67	1
Employment	58	60	61	3
Unemployment	8	7	6	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.1	9.8	9.1	-3



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	April 1986	March 1987	April 1987	Change Apr. 86-Apr. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4860	4919	4914	54
Employment	4510	4535	4587	77
Unemployment	350	383	327	-23
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	7.8	6.7	-0.5
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	219	218	218	-1
Employment	171	165	167	-4
Unemployment	49	53	51	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	22.2	24.4	23.5	1.3
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	56	57	57	1
Employment	47	47	48	1
Unemployment	9	10	9	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.5	18.2	16.5	0.0
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	391	391	393	2
Employment	335	325	330	-5
Unemployment	56	65	63	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.4	16.7	15.9	1.5
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	305	327	326	1
Employment	253	257	259	6
Unemployment	52	50	48	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.1	16.2	15.5	-1.6
Quebec				
Labour Force	3172	3250	3257	85
Employment	2794	2858	2897	103
Unemployment	378	391	360	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.9	12.0	11.0	-0.9
Manitoba				
Labour Force	527	534	533	6
Employment	481	486	486	7
Unemployment	46	48	45	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	9.0	8.4	-0.3
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	492	484	483	-9
Employment	452	442	445	-7
Unemployment	40	41	38	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	8.6	7.9	-0.3
Alberta				
Labour Force	1264	1267	1266	2
Employment	1128	1126	1127	-1
Unemployment	136	141	139	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	11.1	11.0	0.2
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1446	1479	1485	39
Employment	1261	1266	1293	32
Unemployment	185	213	192	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.8	14.4	12.9	0.1
CANADA				
Labour Force	12734	12906	12913	179
Employment	11431	11508	11641	210
Unemployment	1303	1397	1271	-32
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.2	10.8	9.8	-0.4




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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	April 1987	May 1987	Change	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86- May 87
<b>ONTARIO</b>							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7136	7249	7258	122
Males	-	-	-	3470	3528	3533	63
Females	-	-	-	3665	3721	3726	61
Labour Force	4963	4985	22	4928	4914	5024	96
Males	2779	2785	6	2764	2745	2809	45
Females	2184	2200	16	2164	2168	2215	51
Participation Rate (%)	68.5	68.7	0.2	69.1	67.8	69.2	0.1
Males	78.8	78.8	0.0	79.7	77.8	79.5	-0.2
Females	58.7	59.0	0.3	59.0	58.3	59.5	0.5
Employment	4645	4672	27	4589	4587	4719	130
Males	2617	2627	10	2587	2575	2658	71
Females	2028	2045	17	2002	2012	2061	59
Unemployment	318	313	-5	339	327	305	-34
Males	162	158	-4	177	170	151	-26
Females	156	155	-1	162	157	154	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	6.3	-0.1	6.9	6.7	6.1	-0.8
Males	5.8	5.7	-0.1	6.4	6.2	5.4	-1.0
Females	7.1	7.0	-0.1	7.5	7.2	7.0	-0.5
<b>CANADA</b>							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19567	19769	19788	221
Males	-	-	-	9563	9659	9669	106
Females	-	-	-	10005	10109	10119	114
Labour Force	13061	13100	39	12924	12913	13195	271
Males	7417	7428	11	7393	7309	7487	94
Females	5644	5672	28	5530	5604	5708	178
Participation Rate (%)	66.1	66.2	0.1	66.0	65.3	66.7	0.7
Males	76.8	76.8	0.0	77.3	75.7	77.4	0.1
Females	55.8	56.1	0.3	55.3	55.4	56.4	1.1
Employment	11850	11912	62	11696	11641	12018	322
Males	6754	6780	26	6700	6585	6842	142
Females	5096	5132	36	4996	5057	5176	180
Unemployment	1211	1188	-23	1227	1271	1177	-50
Males	663	648	-15	694	724	645	-49
Females	548	540	-8	534	547	532	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	9.1	-0.2	9.5	9.8	8.9	-0.6
Males	8.9	8.7	-0.2	9.4	9.9	8.6	-0.8
Females	9.7	9.5	-0.2	9.6	9.8	9.3	-0.3



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	% Change May 86- May 87	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	% Change May 86- May 87	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	% Change May 86- May 87
Males	3470	3528	3533	1.8	79.7	77.8	79.5	-0.3	2764	2745	2809	1.6
15-24	767	758	758	-1.2	77.3	71.9	78.1	1.0	593	545	592	-0.2
15-19	350	348	348	-0.6	60.3	58.1	62.8	4.1	211	202	219	3.8
20-24	417	410	410	-1.7	91.5	83.5	91.0	-0.5	382	343	373	-2.4
25-44	1410	1453	1457	3.3	96.7	95.7	96.2	-0.5	1363	1390	1402	2.9
25-34	765	788	790	3.3	97.4	95.3	95.7	-1.7	745	751	756	1.5
35-44	646	665	667	3.3	95.8	96.1	96.8	1.0	618	639	646	4.5
45 +	1293	1318	1318	1.9	62.5	61.5	61.9	-1.0	808	810	815	0.9
45-54	472	478	479	1.5	93.8	93.7	94.2	0.4	443	448	451	1.8
55-64	427	431	431	0.9	74.2	72.2	71.3	-3.9	317	311	307	-3.2
65 +	394	407	408	3.6	12.4	12.5	14.0	12.9	49	51	57	16.3
Females	3665	3721	3726	1.7	59.0	58.3	59.5	0.8	2164	2168	2215	2.4
15-24	743	732	731	-1.6	72.1	65.9	71.8	-0.4	535	482	524	-2.1
15-19	334	332	332	-0.6	60.9	54.4	60.3	-1.0	203	180	200	-1.5
20-24	408	400	399	-2.2	81.3	75.5	81.3	0.0	332	302	324	-2.4
25-44	1455	1497	1500	3.1	76.4	77.0	77.1	0.9	1112	1152	1157	4.0
25-34	796	815	817	2.6	76.3	76.9	76.5	0.3	608	627	625	2.8
35-44	659	681	683	3.6	76.5	77.1	77.8	1.7	504	526	532	5.6
45 +	1467	1493	1495	1.9	35.2	35.7	35.7	1.4	516	534	534	3.5
45-54	475	482	483	1.7	65.3	68.7	68.8	5.4	310	331	332	7.1
55-64	459	460	460	0.2	40.5	40.1	39.7	-2.0	186	185	182	-2.2
65 +	533	551	552	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.5	-5.4	20	18	19	-5.0
Both Sexes	7136	7249	7258	1.7	69.1	67.8	69.2	0.1	4928	4914	5024	1.9
15-24	1509	1490	1488	-1.4	74.7	68.9	75.0	0.4	1128	1027	1116	-1.1
15-19	684	680	680	-0.6	60.5	56.3	61.6	1.8	414	383	419	1.2
20-24	826	810	809	-2.1	86.5	79.6	86.2	-0.3	714	645	697	-2.4
25-44	2866	2950	2957	3.2	86.4	86.2	86.5	0.1	2475	2543	2559	3.4
25-34	1561	1603	1607	2.9	86.7	85.9	85.9	-0.9	1353	1378	1381	2.1
35-44	1305	1347	1351	3.5	86.1	86.5	87.2	1.3	1123	1165	1178	4.9
45 +	2761	2809	2813	1.9	48.0	47.8	48.0	0.0	1325	1344	1349	1.8
45-54	947	960	961	1.5	79.5	81.1	81.5	2.5	753	779	783	4.0
55-64	886	891	891	0.6	56.8	55.6	55.0	-3.2	503	495	490	-2.6
65 +	927	958	960	3.6	7.4	7.2	8.0	8.1	69	69	76	10.1



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86- May 87	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86- May 87	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86- May 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2587	2575	2658	71	2377	2354	2443	66	210	222	215	5
15-24	522	482	529	7	373	317	372	-1	148	165	157	9
25-44	1290	1319	1343	53	1269	1297	1320	51	21	22	23	2
45 +	776	775	786	10	735	740	751	16	41	35	35	-6
45-54	428	431	437	9	421	425	433	12	7	6	4	-3
55-64	300	294	294	-6	282	281	281	-1	18	13	13	-5
65 +	48	50	55	7	32	34	37	5	16	16	18	2
Females	2002	2012	2061	59	1485	1471	1528	43	517	541	532	15
15-24	474	439	470	-4	286	249	283	-3	188	190	186	-2
25-44	1035	1077	1090	55	828	853	877	49	207	224	214	7
45 +	493	496	501	8	371	369	368	-3	122	127	132	10
45-54	298	308	312	14	227	236	237	10	71	72	75	4
55-64	176	171	170	-6	134	124	122	-12	42	47	48	6
65 +	20	17	19	-1	10	8	10	0	9	8	9	0
Both Sexes	4589	4587	4719	130	3863	3824	3971	108	726	762	747	21
15-24	996	922	998	2	660	566	655	-5	336	355	343	7
25-44	2325	2395	2433	108	2097	2150	2197	100	228	245	236	8
45 +	1269	1270	1287	18	1106	1108	1119	13	162	162	168	6
45-54	726	739	750	24	648	661	670	22	77	78	79	2
55-64	476	465	465	-11	416	405	403	-13	59	60	62	3
65 +	67	66	73	6	42	42	47	5	26	24	27	1

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86- May 87	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86- May 87
Males	177	170	151	-26	6.4	6.2	5.4	-1.0
15-24	71	63	63	-8	12.0	11.6	10.6	-1.4
15-19	27	28	26	-1	12.6	13.7	11.8	-0.8
20-24	44	35	37	-7	11.6	10.3	9.9	-1.7
25-44	73	72	59	-14	5.4	5.1	4.2	-1.2
25-34	51	48	38	-13	6.8	6.4	5.0	-1.8
35-44	23	23	21	-2	3.7	3.6	3.2	-0.5
45 +	33	35	29	-4	4.1	4.4	3.6	-0.5
45-54	15	17	14	-1	3.4	3.9	3.0	-0.4
55-64	17	17	13	-4	5.3	5.4	4.3	-1.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	162	157	154	-8	7.5	7.2	7.0	-0.5
15-24	61	43	55	-6	11.5	8.9	10.5	-1.0
15-19	25	20	22	-3	12.2	10.9	10.8	-1.4
20-24	37	23	33	-4	11.0	7.7	10.2	-0.8
25-44	77	76	67	-10	6.9	6.6	5.8	-1.1
25-34	48	39	37	-11	7.8	6.3	5.9	-1.9
35-44	29	37	30	1	5.8	7.0	5.6	-0.2
45 +	23	38	33	10	4.5	7.1	6.1	1.6
45-54	12	23	20	8	3.9	7.0	6.0	2.1
55-64	11	13	12	1	5.7	7.3	6.6	0.9
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	339	327	305	-34	6.9	6.7	6.1	-0.8
15-24	132	106	118	-14	11.7	10.3	10.6	-1.1
15-19	51	48	48	-3	12.4	12.4	11.4	-1.0
20-24	81	58	70	-11	11.3	9.1	10.1	-1.2
25-44	151	147	125	-26	6.1	5.8	4.9	-1.2
25-34	98	88	75	-23	7.3	6.4	5.4	-1.9
35-44	52	60	50	-2	4.7	5.1	4.3	-0.4
45 +	56	73	62	6	4.2	5.5	4.6	0.4
45-54	27	41	34	7	3.6	5.2	4.3	0.7
55-64	27	30	25	-2	5.4	6.1	5.2	-0.2
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86-May 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4589	4587	4719	130
Agriculture	133	117	130	-3
Other Primary	55	55	59	4
Manufacturing	1009	998	1031	22
Construction	262	246	275	13
Transportation	334	322	310	-24
Trade	792	790	794	2
Finance	270	299	300	30
Service	1443	1476	1529	86
Public Administration	291	285	291	0
Occupation	4589	4587	4719	130
Managerial	1297	1355	1374	77
Clerical	764	801	786	22
Sales	449	429	433	-16
Service	588	575	593	5
Primary	174	140	169	-5
Processing	717	701	728	11
Construction	253	236	263	10
Transportation	149	174	175	26
Materials Handling	197	176	199	2



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86-May 87	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86-May 87
All Ages	339	327	305	-34	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	112	90	92	-20	33.0	27.5	30.2	-2.9
5 - 13 weeks	83	78	72	-11	24.5	23.9	23.6	-0.9
14 weeks and over	135	149	131	-4	39.8	45.6	43.0	3.1
Average duration (weeks)	16.9	19.0	18.2	1.3	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	132	106	110	-14	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	56	40	51	-5	42.4	37.7	43.2	0.8
5 - 13 weeks	33	29	31	-2	25.0	27.4	26.3	1.3
14 weeks and over	40	35	31	-9	30.3	33.0	26.3	-4.0
Average duration (weeks)	13.1	13.2	11.5	-1.6	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	151	147	125	-26	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	42	39	29	-13	27.8	26.5	23.2	-4.6
5 - 13 weeks	40	33	28	-12	26.5	22.4	22.4	-4.1
14 weeks and over	65	73	65	0	43.0	49.7	52.0	9.0
Average duration (weeks)	17.7	20.3	21.0	4.1	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	56	73	62	6	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	14	11	12	-2	25.0	15.1	19.4	-5.6
5 - 13 weeks	10	16	13	3	17.9	21.9	21.0	3.1
14 weeks and over	30	42	35	5	53.6	57.5	56.5	2.9
Average duration (weeks)	23.4	25.1	23.5	0.1	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86-May 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	51	48	48	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.4	12.4	11.4	-1.0
Duration				
4 weeks or less	21	23	21	0
5 - 13 weeks	15	15	12	-3
14 weeks and over	15	9	12	-3
Average duration (weeks)	12.5	8.9	9.8	-2.7
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	81	58	70	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.3	9.1	10.1	-1.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	35	18	30	-5
5 - 13 weeks	17	14	18	1
14 weeks and over	25	25	20	-5
Average duration (weeks)	13.5	16.8	12.6	-0.9

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86-May 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	428	444	449	21
Employment	390	402	416	26
Unemployment	37	42	34	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	9.5	7.5	-1.3
Sudbury				
Labour Force	70	69	71	1
Employment	63	62	64	1
Unemployment	7	7	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	10.5	9.9	-0.1
Oshawa				
Labour Force	94	93	97	3
Employment	89	88	89	0
Unemployment	5	5	8	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	5.1	8.2	2.7
Toronto				
Labour Force	1841	1861	1869	28
Employment	1735	1778	1784	49
Unemployment	106	83	85	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	4.5	4.6	-1.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	291	310	324	33
Employment	276	290	301	25
Unemployment	15	20	23	8
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.1	6.5	7.1	2.0
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	144	155	160	16
Employment	131	136	147	16
Unemployment	13	19	13	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	12.2	8.0	-1.2
London				
Labour Force	155	156	164	9
Employment	142	144	151	9
Unemployment	13	12	13	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	7.9	7.9	-0.2
Windsor				
Labour Force	120	127	125	5
Employment	111	115	114	3
Unemployment	9	13	10	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	9.9	8.3	0.9
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	173	168	168	-5
Employment	163	158	159	-4
Unemployment	10	11	8	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	6.3	5.0	-0.8
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	67	67	66	-1
Employment	58	61	61	3
Unemployment	9	6	5	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.8	9.1	8.3	-4.5



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	May 1986	April 1987	May 1987	Change May 86-May 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4928	4914	5024	96
Employment	4589	4587	4719	130
Unemployment	339	327	305	-34
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	6.7	6.1	-0.8
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	228	218	232	4
Employment	182	167	182	0
Unemployment	45	51	50	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	19.9	23.5	21.7	1.8
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	60	57	62	2
Employment	53	48	55	2
Unemployment	7	9	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.1	16.5	10.9	-1.2
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	402	393	410	8
Employment	347	330	355	8
Unemployment	55	63	55	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.7	15.9	13.4	-0.3
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	321	306	326	5
Employment	273	259	281	8
Unemployment	48	48	45	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.0	15.5	13.8	-1.2
Quebec				
Labour Force	3199	3257	3317	118
Employment	2858	2897	2973	115
Unemployment	340	360	344	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.6	11.0	10.4	-0.2
Manitoba				
Labour Force	537	533	539	2
Employment	495	488	503	8
Unemployment	42	45	35	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	8.4	6.5	-1.3
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	503	483	499	-4
Employment	464	445	462	-2
Unemployment	38	38	37	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.9	7.5	-0.1
Alberta				
Labour Force	1283	1266	1287	4
Employment	1145	1127	1163	18
Unemployment	137	139	124	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	11.0	9.6	-1.1
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1464	1485	1501	37
Employment	1288	1293	1326	38
Unemployment	175	192	175	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.0	12.9	11.6	-0.4
CANADA				
Labour Force	12924	12913	13195	271
Employment	11696	11641	12018	322
Unemployment	1227	1271	1177	-50
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	9.8	8.9	-0.6



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	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	May 1987	June 1987	Change	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86- June 87
ONTARIO (ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7145	7258	7271	126
Males	-	-	-	3475	3533	3539	64
Females	-	-	-	3670	3726	3732	62
Labour Force	4985	5002	17	5013	5024	5122	109
Males	2785	2778	-7	2815	2809	2852	37
Females	2200	2224	24	2198	2215	2270	72
Participation Rate (%)	68.7	68.8	0.1	70.2	69.2	70.5	0.3
Males	78.8	78.5	-0.3	81.0	79.5	80.6	-0.4
Females	59.0	59.6	0.6	59.9	59.5	60.8	0.9
Employment	4672	4695	23	4663	4719	4817	154
Males	2627	2629	2	2634	2658	2710	76
Females	2045	2066	21	2029	2061	2107	78
Unemployment	313	307	-6	349	305	305	-44
Males	158	149	-9	181	151	142	-39
Females	155	158	3	169	154	163	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	6.1	-0.2	7.0	6.1	5.9	-1.1
Males	5.7	5.4	-0.3	6.4	5.4	5.0	-1.4
Females	7.0	7.1	0.1	7.7	7.0	7.2	-0.5
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19588	19788	19812	224
Males	-	-	-	9573	9669	9681	108
Females	-	-	-	10015	10119	10131	116
Labour Force	13100	13137	37	13201	13195	13456	255
Males	7428	7425	-3	7551	7487	7632	81
Females	5672	5712	40	5650	5708	5824	174
Participation Rate (%)	66.2	66.3	0.1	67.4	66.7	67.9	0.5
Males	76.8	76.7	-0.1	78.9	77.4	78.8	-0.1
Females	56.1	56.4	0.3	56.4	56.4	57.5	1.1
Employment	11912	11962	50	11997	12018	12315	318
Males	6780	6793	13	6891	6842	7041	150
Females	5132	5169	37	5106	5176	5274	168
Unemployment	1188	1175	-13	1205	1177	1142	-63
Males	648	632	-16	660	645	591	-69
Females	540	543	3	544	532	550	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	8.9	-0.2	9.1	8.9	8.5	-0.6
Males	8.7	8.5	-0.2	8.7	8.6	7.7	-1.0
Females	9.5	9.5	0.0	9.6	9.3	9.4	-0.2



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	% Change June 86-June 87	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	% Change June 86-June 87	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	% Change June 86-June 87
Males	3475	3533	3539	1.8	81.0	79.5	80.6	-0.5	2815	2809	2852	1.3
15-24	766	758	757	-1.2	83.4	78.1	83.4	0.0	639	592	631	-1.3
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	70.9	62.8	71.7	1.1	248	219	250	0.8
20-24	416	410	409	-1.7	93.9	91.0	93.3	-0.6	391	373	382	-2.3
25-44	1414	1457	1462	3.4	96.8	96.2	96.6	-0.2	1369	1402	1412	3.1
25-34	766	790	792	3.4	97.4	95.7	96.3	-1.1	746	756	763	2.3
35-44	647	667	669	3.4	96.1	96.8	97.0	0.9	622	646	649	4.3
45 +	1296	1318	1321	1.9	62.3	61.9	61.3	-1.6	807	815	809	0.2
45-54	473	479	480	1.5	93.9	94.2	94.2	0.3	444	451	452	1.8
55-64	427	431	431	0.9	73.2	71.3	69.9	-4.5	313	307	302	-3.5
65 +	395	408	409	3.5	12.9	14.0	13.7	6.2	51	57	56	9.8
Females	3670	3726	3732	1.7	59.9	59.5	60.8	1.5	2198	2215	2270	3.3
15-24	741	731	730	-1.5	77.5	71.8	77.9	0.5	575	524	568	-1.2
15-19	334	332	331	-0.9	69.3	60.3	70.8	2.2	231	200	235	1.7
20-24	407	399	398	-2.2	84.3	81.3	83.8	-0.6	343	324	334	-2.6
25-44	1459	1500	1505	3.2	76.4	77.1	77.1	0.9	1114	1157	1160	4.1
25-34	798	817	819	2.6	77.2	76.5	76.6	-0.8	616	625	628	1.9
35-44	661	683	686	3.8	75.4	77.8	77.7	3.1	499	532	533	6.8
45 +	1470	1495	1497	1.8	34.6	35.7	36.2	4.6	509	534	542	6.5
45-54	475	483	484	1.9	64.7	68.8	69.5	7.4	307	332	336	9.4
55-64	460	460	460	0.0	39.7	39.7	39.5	-0.5	182	182	182	0.0
65 +	535	552	554	3.6	3.6	3.5	4.2	16.7	19	19	23	21.1
Both Sexes	7145	7258	7271	1.8	70.2	69.2	70.5	0.4	5013	5024	5122	2.2
15-24	1507	1488	1486	-1.4	80.5	75.0	80.7	0.2	1213	1116	1199	-1.2
15-19	683	680	679	-0.6	70.1	61.6	71.3	1.7	479	419	484	1.0
20-24	824	809	807	-2.1	89.1	86.2	88.7	-0.4	734	697	715	-2.6
25-44	2873	2957	2966	3.2	86.4	86.5	86.7	0.3	2483	2559	2572	3.6
25-34	1564	1607	1611	3.0	87.1	85.9	86.3	-0.9	1362	1381	1390	2.1
35-44	1309	1351	1355	3.5	85.7	87.2	87.2	1.8	1121	1178	1181	5.4
45 +	2766	2813	2818	1.9	47.6	48.0	47.9	0.6	1316	1349	1351	2.7
45-54	948	961	963	1.6	79.2	81.5	81.8	3.3	751	783	788	4.9
55-64	887	891	892	0.6	55.8	55.0	54.2	-2.9	495	490	483	-2.4
65 +	931	960	963	3.4	7.5	8.0	8.2	9.3	70	76	79	12.9



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86- June 87	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86- June 87	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86- June 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2634	2658	2710	76	2450	2443	2522	72	184	215	188	4
15-24	558	529	569	11	428	372	438	10	129	157	130	1
25-44	1301	1343	1356	55	1283	1320	1338	55	18	23	18	0
45 +	776	786	785	9	739	751	746	7	37	35	40	3
45-54	430	437	439	9	424	433	433	9	6	4	6	0
55-64	296	294	291	-5	284	281	274	-10	13	13	18	5
65 +	49	55	56	7	32	37	39	7	18	18	17	-1
Females	2029	2061	2107	78	1528	1528	1592	64	501	532	515	14
15-24	514	470	509	-5	339	283	334	-5	176	186	175	-1
25-44	1034	1090	1090	56	829	877	886	57	205	214	204	-1
45 +	481	501	509	28	360	368	372	12	120	132	136	16
45-54	290	312	317	27	224	237	237	13	66	75	81	15
55-64	172	170	169	-3	126	122	124	-2	46	48	45	-1
65 +	19	19	23	4	10	10	12	2	9	9	11	2
Both Sexes	4663	4719	4817	154	3978	3971	4114	136	685	747	703	18
15-24	1072	998	1077	5	767	655	772	5	305	343	305	0
25-44	2335	2433	2446	111	2112	2197	2224	112	223	236	221	-2
45 +	1257	1287	1295	38	1099	1119	1118	19	157	168	177	20
45-54	720	750	756	36	648	670	670	22	72	79	86	14
55-64	468	465	460	-8	410	403	397	-13	58	62	63	5
65 +	69	73	78	9	42	47	51	9	27	27	28	1

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87
Males	181	151	142	-39	6.4	5.4	5.0	-1.4
15-24	81	63	63	-18	12.7	10.6	9.9	-2.8
15-19	39	26	33	-6	15.8	11.8	13.3	-2.5
20-24	42	37	29	-13	10.8	9.9	7.7	-3.1
25-44	68	59	56	-12	4.9	4.2	3.9	-1.0
25-34	45	38	40	-5	6.0	5.0	5.2	-0.8
35-44	23	21	16	-7	3.7	3.2	2.5	-1.2
45 +	32	29	24	-8	3.9	3.6	3.0	-0.9
45-54	14	14	13	-1	3.2	3.0	2.9	-0.3
55-64	16	13	11	-5	5.2	4.3	3.5	-1.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	169	154	163	-6	7.7	7.0	7.2	-0.5
15-24	60	55	60	0	10.5	10.5	10.5	0.0
15-19	29	22	35	6	12.5	10.8	14.9	2.4
20-24	31	33	25	-6	9.1	10.2	7.4	-1.7
25-44	81	67	71	-10	7.2	5.8	6.1	-1.1
25-34	50	37	46	-4	8.1	5.9	7.4	-0.7
35-44	30	30	24	-6	6.1	5.6	4.6	-1.5
45 +	28	33	32	4	5.5	6.1	6.0	0.5
45-54	17	20	19	2	5.6	6.0	5.6	0.0
55-64	11	12	13	2	5.9	6.6	7.1	1.2
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	349	305	305	-44	7.0	6.1	5.9	-1.1
15-24	141	118	122	-19	11.7	10.6	10.2	-1.5
15-19	68	48	68	0	14.2	11.4	14.1	-0.1
20-24	73	70	54	-19	10.0	10.1	7.6	-2.4
25-44	148	125	126	-22	6.0	4.9	4.9	-1.1
25-34	95	75	86	-9	7.0	5.4	6.2	-0.8
35-44	53	50	40	-13	4.8	4.3	3.4	-1.4
45 +	60	62	56	-4	4.5	4.6	4.2	-0.3
45-54	31	34	32	1	4.2	4.3	4.1	-0.1
55-64	27	25	23	-4	5.5	5.2	4.8	-0.7
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-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4.000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4663	4719	4817	154
Agriculture	142	130	132	-10
Other Primary	55	59	65	10
Manufacturing	1032	1031	1041	9
Construction	271	275	299	28
Transportation	330	310	318	-12
Trade	784	794	802	18
Finance	263	300	315	52
Service	1486	1529	1554	68
Public Administration	299	291	291	-8
Occupation	4663	4719	4817	154
Managerial	1291	1374	1406	115
Clerical	772	786	792	20
Sales	450	433	438	-12
Service	596	593	602	6
Primary	185	169	182	-3
Processing	733	728	739	6
Construction	271	263	281	10
Transportation	153	175	176	23
Materials Handling	213	199	202	-11



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87
All Ages	349	305	305	-44	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	121	92	107	-14	34.7	30.2	35.1	0.4
5 - 13 weeks	83	72	77	-6	23.8	23.6	25.2	1.5
14 weeks and over	129	131	108	-21	37.0	43.0	35.4	-1.6
Average duration (weeks)	16.7	18.2	16.8	0.1	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	141	118	122	-19	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	61	51	58	-3	43.3	43.2	47.5	4.3
5 - 13 weeks	34	31	34	0	24.1	26.3	27.9	3.8
14 weeks and over	36	31	24	-12	25.5	26.3	19.7	-5.9
Average duration (weeks)	12.1	11.5	10.9	-1.2	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	148	125	126	-22	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	46	29	38	-8	31.1	23.2	30.2	-0.9
5 - 13 weeks	35	28	30	-5	23.6	22.4	23.8	0.2
14 weeks and over	64	65	54	-10	43.2	52.0	42.9	-0.4
Average duration (weeks)	17.1	21.8	18.3	1.2	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	60	62	56	-4	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	15	12	11	-4	25.0	19.4	19.6	-5.4
5 - 13 weeks	13	13	14	1	21.7	21.0	25.0	3.3
14 weeks and over	30	35	31	1	50.0	56.5	55.4	5.4
Average duration (weeks)	25.9	23.5	26.0	0.1	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	68	48	68	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.2	11.4	14.1	-0.1
Duration				
4 weeks or less	39	21	37	-2
5 - 13 weeks	11	12	17	6
14 weeks and over	11	12	9	-2
Average duration (weeks)	8.8	9.8	7.7	-1.1
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	73	70	54	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	10.1	7.6	-2.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	30	21	-1
5 - 13 weeks	23	18	17	-6
14 weeks and over	25	20	15	-10
Average duration (weeks)	15.1	12.6	14.7	-0.4

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	437	449	457	20
Employment	404	416	425	21
Unemployment	33	34	32	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	7.5	7.0	-0.4
Sudbury				
Labour Force	72	71	73	1
Employment	62	64	65	3
Unemployment	11	7	8	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.8	9.9	10.4	-4.4
Oshawa				
Labour Force	99	97	99	0
Employment	92	89	92	0
Unemployment	7	8	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	8.2	6.5	-0.2
Toronto				
Labour Force	1870	1869	1908	38
Employment	1750	1784	1809	59
Unemployment	119	85	99	-20
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	4.6	5.2	-1.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	300	324	318	18
Employment	278	301	302	24
Unemployment	22	23	16	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.3	7.1	5.0	-2.3
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	154	160	158	4
Employment	139	147	148	9
Unemployment	14	13	10	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	8.0	6.1	-3.1
London				
Labour Force	161	164	167	6
Employment	148	151	154	6
Unemployment	13	13	13	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	7.9	7.9	-0.3
Windsor				
Labour Force	124	125	127	3
Employment	114	114	115	1
Unemployment	10	10	12	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.3	8.3	9.4	1.1
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	172	168	173	1
Employment	164	159	164	0
Unemployment	9	8	9	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.0	5.2	0.2
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	69	66	69	0
Employment	60	61	62	2
Unemployment	8	5	6	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.9	8.3	9.1	-2.8



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	June 1986	May 1987	June 1987	Change June 86-June 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5013	5024	5122	109
Employment	4663	4719	4817	154
Unemployment	349	305	305	-44
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	6.1	5.9	-1.1
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	250	232	248	-2
Employment	204	182	207	3
Unemployment	45	50	41	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.2	21.7	16.7	-1.5
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	64	62	64	0
Employment	58	55	59	1
Unemployment	7	7	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	10.9	8.8	-1.6
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	409	410	415	6
Employment	359	355	368	9
Unemployment	50	55	47	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.3	13.4	11.4	-0.9
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	328	326	338	10
Employment	280	281	293	13
Unemployment	47	45	45	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.4	13.8	13.3	-1.1
Quebec				
Labour Force	3317	3317	3420	103
Employment	2981	2973	3075	94
Unemployment	336	344	345	9
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	10.4	10.1	0.0
Manitoba				
Labour Force	537	539	538	1
Employment	502	503	501	-1
Unemployment	35	35	37	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	6.5	6.8	0.4
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	506	499	506	0
Employment	472	462	474	2
Unemployment	35	37	32	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	7.5	6.4	-0.4
Alberta				
Labour Force	1294	1287	1289	-5
Employment	1163	1163	1170	7
Unemployment	131	124	119	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	9.6	9.2	-0.9
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1483	1501	1516	33
Employment	1314	1326	1351	37
Unemployment	169	175	164	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.4	11.6	10.8	-0.6
CANADA				
Labour Force	13201	13195	13456	255
Employment	11997	12018	12315	318
Unemployment	1205	1177	1142	-63
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	8.9	8.5	-0.6



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	June 1987	July 1987	Change	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86- July 87
ONTARIO (ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7153	7271	7281	128
Males	-	-	-	3479	3539	3544	65
Females	-	-	-	3674	3732	3736	62
Labour Force	5002	4995	-7	5030	5122	5148	118
Males	2778	2767	-11	2843	2852	2875	32
Females	2224	2228	4	2187	2270	2273	86
Participation Rate (%)	68.8	68.6	-0.2	70.3	70.5	70.7	0.4
Males	78.5	78.1	-0.4	81.7	80.6	81.1	-0.6
Females	59.6	59.6	0.0	59.5	60.8	60.8	1.3
Employment	4695	4696	1	4685	4817	4852	167
Males	2629	2623	-6	2670	2710	2740	70
Females	2066	2073	7	2015	2107	2112	97
Unemployment	307	299	-8	345	305	296	-49
Males	149	144	-5	173	142	135	-38
Females	158	155	-3	172	163	161	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	6.0	-0.1	6.9	5.9	5.8	-1.1
Males	5.4	5.2	-0.2	6.1	5.0	4.7	-1.4
Females	7.1	7.0	-0.1	7.9	7.2	7.1	-0.8
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19604	19812	19832	228
Males	-	-	-	9581	9681	9691	110
Females	-	-	-	10024	10131	10141	117
Labour Force	13137	13127	-10	13291	13456	13577	286
Males	7425	7404	-21	7650	7632	7731	81
Females	5712	5723	11	5641	5824	5846	205
Participation Rate (%)	66.3	66.2	-0.1	67.8	67.9	68.5	0.7
Males	76.7	76.4	-0.3	79.8	78.8	79.8	0.0
Females	56.4	56.4	0.0	56.3	57.5	57.6	1.3
Employment	11962	11937	-25	12060	12315	12419	359
Males	6793	6767	-26	6981	7041	7134	153
Females	5169	5170	1	5079	5274	5285	206
Unemployment	1175	1190	15	1231	1142	1158	-73
Males	632	637	5	668	591	597	-71
Females	543	553	10	562	550	561	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	9.1	0.2	9.3	8.5	8.5	-0.8
Males	8.5	8.6	0.1	8.7	7.7	7.7	-1.0
Females	9.5	9.7	0.2	10.0	9.4	9.6	-0.4



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	% Change July 86-July 87	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	% Change July 86-July 87	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	% Change July 86-July 87
Males	3479	3539	3544	1.9	81.7	80.6	81.1	-0.7	2843	2852	2875	1.1
15-24	765	757	756	-1.2	87.3	83.4	87.6	0.3	668	631	663	-0.7
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	77.5	71.7	79.7	2.8	271	250	277	2.2
20-24	416	409	408	-1.9	95.5	93.3	94.4	-1.2	397	382	385	-3.0
25-44	1417	1462	1466	3.5	97.1	96.6	96.6	-0.5	1375	1412	1416	3.0
25-34	768	792	795	3.5	97.6	96.3	96.5	-1.1	750	763	767	2.3
35-44	649	669	671	3.4	96.5	97.0	96.8	0.3	626	649	649	3.7
45 +	1298	1321	1323	1.9	61.6	61.3	60.2	-2.3	800	809	796	-0.5
45-54	473	480	480	1.5	93.9	94.2	93.6	-0.3	444	452	449	1.1
55-64	428	431	432	0.9	72.6	69.9	68.5	-5.6	311	302	296	-4.8
65 +	397	409	411	3.5	11.4	13.7	12.5	9.6	45	56	51	13.3
Females	3674	3732	3736	1.7	59.5	60.8	60.8	2.2	2187	2270	2273	3.9
15-24	740	730	728	-1.6	79.7	77.9	81.9	2.8	590	568	597	1.2
15-19	334	331	331	-0.9	73.8	70.8	79.2	7.3	246	235	262	6.5
20-24	407	398	397	-2.5	84.6	83.8	84.2	-0.5	344	334	334	-2.9
25-44	1462	1505	1508	3.1	75.9	77.1	75.8	-0.1	1109	1160	1143	3.1
25-34	799	819	821	2.8	75.9	76.6	75.6	-0.4	606	628	621	2.5
35-44	663	686	687	3.6	75.8	77.7	76.0	0.3	502	533	522	4.0
45 +	1472	1497	1500	1.9	33.1	36.2	35.5	7.3	488	542	533	9.2
45-54	476	484	484	1.7	63.4	69.5	67.7	6.8	302	336	328	8.6
55-64	460	460	460	0.0	37.3	39.5	39.2	5.1	172	182	180	4.7
65 +	537	554	555	3.4	2.8	4.2	4.5	60.7	15	23	25	66.7
Both Sexes	7153	7271	7281	1.8	70.3	70.5	70.7	0.6	5030	5122	5148	2.3
15-24	1505	1486	1484	-1.4	83.6	80.7	84.9	1.6	1258	1199	1259	0.1
15-19	683	679	679	-0.6	75.7	71.3	79.5	5.0	517	484	540	4.4
20-24	822	807	805	-2.1	90.1	88.7	89.4	-0.8	741	715	719	-3.0
25-44	2878	2966	2974	3.3	86.3	86.7	86.1	-0.2	2484	2572	2559	3.0
25-34	1567	1611	1616	3.1	86.6	86.3	85.9	-0.8	1356	1390	1388	2.4
35-44	1312	1355	1358	3.5	86.0	87.2	86.2	0.2	1128	1181	1171	3.8
45 +	2770	2818	2823	1.9	46.5	47.9	47.1	1.3	1288	1351	1329	3.2
45-54	949	963	965	1.7	78.6	81.8	80.6	2.5	746	788	777	4.2
55-64	887	892	892	0.6	54.3	54.2	53.4	-1.7	482	483	476	-1.2
65 +	933	963	966	3.5	6.4	8.2	7.9	23.4	60	79	76	26.7



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
			Change				Change				Change	
	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	July 86- July 87	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	July 86- July 87	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	July 86- July 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2670	2710	2740	70	2515	2522	2611	96	155	188	129	-26
15-24	596	569	609	13	491	438	525	34	105	130	84	-21
25-44	1306	1356	1358	52	1287	1338	1345	58	19	18	13	-6
45 +	768	785	773	5	737	746	741	4	31	40	32	1
45-54	431	439	436	5	425	433	433	8	6	6	--	--
55-64	294	291	286	-8	282	274	272	-10	11	18	14	3
65 +	44	56	51	7	30	39	36	6	14	17	15	1
Females	2015	2107	2112	97	1587	1592	1652	65	428	515	460	32
15-24	535	509	544	9	401	334	399	-2	135	175	145	10
25-44	1021	1090	1068	47	836	886	882	46	184	204	186	2
45 +	459	509	500	41	350	372	371	21	109	136	129	20
45-54	284	317	308	24	220	237	238	18	64	81	71	7
55-64	160	169	168	8	121	124	122	1	39	45	46	7
65 +	15	23	24	9	10	12	12	2	5	11	12	7
Both Sexes	4685	4817	4852	167	4102	4114	4263	161	583	703	589	6
15-24	1131	1077	1153	22	892	772	924	32	239	305	229	-10
25-44	2326	2446	2426	100	2123	2224	2227	104	204	221	199	-5
45 +	1227	1295	1273	46	1087	1118	1112	25	140	177	161	21
45-54	714	756	744	30	644	670	670	26	70	86	74	4
55-64	454	460	454	0	403	397	394	-9	51	63	59	8
65 +	59	78	75	16	40	51	47	7	19	28	27	8

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87
Males	173	142	135	-38	6.1	5.0	4.7	-1.4
15-24	72	63	53	-19	10.8	9.9	8.0	-2.8
15-19	34	33	29	-5	12.5	13.3	10.5	-2.0
20-24	38	29	24	-14	9.6	7.7	6.2	-3.4
25-44	70	56	58	-12	5.1	3.9	4.1	-1.0
25-34	43	40	38	-5	5.7	5.2	5.0	-0.7
35-44	27	16	20	-7	4.2	2.5	3.1	-1.1
45 +	32	24	24	-8	4.0	3.0	3.0	-1.0
45-54	14	13	13	-1	3.1	2.9	3.0	-0.1
55-64	17	11	10	-7	5.5	3.5	3.5	-2.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	172	163	161	-11	7.9	7.2	7.1	-0.8
15-24	55	60	53	-2	9.3	10.5	8.9	-0.4
15-19	26	35	29	3	10.4	14.9	11.0	0.6
20-24	29	25	24	-5	8.5	7.4	7.2	-1.3
25-44	88	71	75	-13	8.0	6.1	6.6	-1.4
25-34	53	46	47	-6	8.7	7.4	7.5	-1.2
35-44	36	24	28	-8	7.1	4.6	5.4	-1.7
45 +	29	32	33	4	5.9	6.0	6.2	0.3
45-54	18	19	19	1	5.9	5.6	5.9	0.0
55-64	11	13	12	1	6.5	7.1	6.8	0.3
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	345	305	296	-49	6.9	5.9	5.8	-1.1
15-24	127	122	106	-21	10.1	10.2	8.4	-1.7
15-19	60	68	58	-2	11.5	14.1	10.8	-0.7
20-24	67	54	48	-19	9.1	7.6	6.7	-2.4
25-44	158	126	133	-25	6.4	4.9	5.2	-1.2
25-34	96	86	85	-11	7.1	6.2	6.1	-1.0
35-44	62	40	48	-14	5.5	3.4	4.1	-1.4
45 +	61	56	57	-4	4.7	4.2	4.3	-0.4
45-54	31	32	33	2	4.2	4.1	4.2	0.0
55-64	28	23	23	-5	5.8	4.8	4.7	-1.1
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4685	4817	4852	167
Agriculture	141	132	145	4
Other Primary	53	65	74	21
Manufacturing	1040	1041	1062	22
Construction	285	299	312	27
Transportation	331	318	317	-14
Trade	769	802	786	17
Finance	266	315	317	51
Service	1493	1554	1536	43
Public Administration	305	291	302	-3
Occupation	4685	4817	4852	167
Managerial	1294	1406	1391	97
Clerical	766	792	814	48
Sales	428	438	436	8
Service	623	602	600	-23
Primary	181	182	207	26
Processing	740	739	725	-15
Construction	285	281	299	14
Transportation	154	176	176	22
Materials Handling	215	202	203	-12



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87
All Ages	345	305	296	-49	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	120	107	100	-20	34.8	35.1	33.8	-1.0
5 - 13 weeks	89	77	97	8	25.8	25.2	32.0	7.0
14 weeks and over	126	108	90	-36	36.5	35.4	30.4	-6.1
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	16.8	15.4	-1.4	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	127	122	106	-21	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	51	58	47	-4	40.2	47.5	44.3	4.2
5 - 13 weeks	39	34	36	-3	30.7	27.9	34.0	3.3
14 weeks and over	31	24	17	-14	24.4	19.7	16.0	-8.4
Average duration (weeks)	11.7	10.9	9.8	-1.9	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	158	126	133	-25	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	55	38	40	-15	34.8	30.2	30.1	-4.7
5 - 13 weeks	38	30	44	6	24.1	23.8	33.1	9.0
14 weeks and over	61	54	46	-15	38.6	42.9	34.6	-4.0
Average duration (weeks)	17.0	18.3	17.6	0.6	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	61	56	57	-4	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	14	11	13	-1	23.0	19.6	22.8	-0.1
5 - 13 weeks	11	14	16	5	18.0	25.0	28.1	10.0
14 weeks and over	34	31	27	-7	55.7	55.4	47.4	-8.4
Average duration (weeks)	27.0	26.0	20.4	-6.6	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	60	68	58	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	14.1	10.8	-0.7
Duration				
4 weeks or less	30	37	29	-1
5 - 13 weeks	17	17	18	1
14 weeks and over	9	9	7	-2
Average duration (weeks)	7.8	7.7	7.8	0.0
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	67	54	48	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	7.6	6.7	-2.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	21	21	18	-3
5 - 13 weeks	22	17	18	-4
14 weeks and over	22	15	10	-12
Average duration (weeks)	15.0	14.7	12.1	-2.9

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	438	457	455	17
Employment	396	425	426	30
Unemployment	42	32	29	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	7.0	6.4	-3.1
Sudbury				
Labour Force	72	73	71	-1
Employment	64	65	63	-1
Unemployment	8	8	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.9	10.4	11.5	0.6
Oshawa				
Labour Force	99	99	100	1
Employment	94	92	93	-1
Unemployment	5	6	7	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	6.5	6.8	1.6
Toronto				
Labour Force	1865	1908	1904	39
Employment	1753	1809	1816	63
Unemployment	112	99	88	-24
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.0	5.2	4.6	-1.4
Hamilton				
Labour Force	308	318	318	10
Employment	285	302	298	13
Unemployment	23	16	19	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	5.0	6.1	-1.5
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	150	158	167	17
Employment	137	148	155	18
Unemployment	13	10	11	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.6	6.1	6.9	-1.7
London				
Labour Force	163	167	164	1
Employment	153	154	149	-4
Unemployment	10	13	15	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	7.9	9.4	3.3
Windsor				
Labour Force	122	127	125	3
Employment	115	115	115	0
Unemployment	7	12	9	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.0	9.4	7.6	1.6
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	173	173	177	4
Employment	164	164	168	4
Unemployment	9	9	9	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	5.2	4.9	-0.3
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	68	69	67	-1
Employment	60	62	62	2
Unemployment	8	6	5	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.4	9.1	7.6	-3.8



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	July 1986	June 1987	July 1987	Change July 86-July 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5030	5122	5148	118
Employment	4685	4817	4852	167
Unemployment	345	305	296	-49
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	5.9	5.8	-1.1
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	259	248	258	-1
Employment	208	207	218	10
Unemployment	52	41	40	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	19.9	16.7	15.6	-4.3
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	65	64	66	1
Employment	58	59	59	1
Unemployment	7	6	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.4	8.8	10.6	-0.8
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	418	415	424	6
Employment	364	368	379	15
Unemployment	54	47	45	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.0	11.4	10.6	-2.4
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	332	338	341	9
Employment	286	293	298	12
Unemployment	46	45	43	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.8	13.3	12.5	-1.3
Quebec				
Labour Force	3308	3420	3453	145
Employment	2964	3075	3104	140
Unemployment	344	345	350	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	10.1	10.1	-0.3
Manitoba				
Labour Force	547	538	545	-2
Employment	508	501	510	2
Unemployment	39	37	35	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	6.8	6.4	-0.7
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	515	506	514	-1
Employment	477	474	475	-2
Unemployment	38	32	38	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	6.4	7.5	0.1
Alberta				
Labour Force	1313	1289	1307	-6
Employment	1183	1170	1181	-2
Unemployment	131	119	125	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	9.2	9.6	-0.3
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1503	1516	1522	19
Employment	1328	1351	1344	16
Unemployment	175	164	178	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	10.8	11.7	0.1
CANADA				
Labour Force	13291	13456	13577	286
Employment	12060	12315	12419	359
Unemployment	1231	1142	1158	-73
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	8.5	8.5	-0.8




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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	July 1987	August 1987	Change	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86- August 87
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
ONTARIO							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7162	7281	7292	130
Males	-	-	-	3483	3544	3550	67
Females	-	-	-	3678	3736	3742	64
Labour Force	4995	4991	-4	5035	5148	5142	107
Males	2767	2766	-1	2831	2875	2867	36
Females	2228	2225	-3	2204	2273	2275	71
Participation Rate (%)	68.6	68.4	-0.2	70.3	70.7	70.5	0.2
Males	78.1	77.9	-0.2	81.3	81.1	80.7	-0.6
Females	59.6	59.5	-0.1	59.9	60.8	60.8	0.9
Employment	4696	4701	5	4709	4852	4858	149
Males	2623	2632	9	2667	2740	2748	81
Females	2073	2069	-4	2041	2112	2110	69
Unemployment	299	290	-9	326	296	284	-42
Males	144	134	-10	164	135	118	-46
Females	155	156	1	162	161	165	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.0	5.8	-0.2	6.5	5.8	5.5	-1.0
Males	5.2	4.8	-0.4	5.8	4.7	4.1	-1.7
Females	7.0	7.0	0.0	7.4	7.1	7.3	-0.1
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19621	19832	19852	231
Males	-	-	-	9588	9691	9701	113
Females	-	-	-	10032	10141	10151	119
Labour Force	13127	13130	3	13276	13577	13529	253
Males	7404	7409	5	7626	7731	7694	68
Females	5723	5721	-2	5650	5846	5835	185
Participation Rate (%)	66.2	66.1	-0.1	67.7	68.5	68.2	0.5
Males	76.4	76.4	0.0	79.5	79.8	79.3	-0.2
Females	56.4	56.4	0.0	56.3	57.6	57.5	1.2
Employment	11937	11979	42	12075	12419	12427	352
Males	6767	6793	26	6993	7134	7146	153
Females	5170	5186	16	5082	5285	5281	199
Unemployment	1190	1151	-39	1201	1158	1102	-99
Males	637	616	-21	634	597	548	-86
Females	553	535	-18	567	561	555	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	8.8	-0.3	9.0	8.5	8.1	-0.9
Males	8.6	8.3	-0.3	8.3	7.7	7.1	-1.2
Females	9.7	9.4	-0.3	10.0	9.6	9.5	-0.5



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	August 86- August 87	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	August 86- August 87	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	August 86- August 87
Males	3483	3544	3550	1.9	81.3	81.1	80.7	-0.7	2831	2875	2867	1.3
15-24	764	756	755	-1.2	84.8	87.6	85.5	0.8	648	663	646	-0.3
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	74.6	79.7	75.9	1.7	260	277	264	1.5
20-24	415	408	407	-1.9	93.4	94.4	93.8	0.4	388	385	382	-1.5
25-44	1420	1466	1470	3.5	97.4	96.6	97.1	-0.3	1382	1416	1428	3.3
25-34	769	795	797	3.6	97.6	96.5	96.8	-0.8	751	767	772	2.8
35-44	650	671	673	3.5	97.1	96.8	97.5	0.4	631	649	656	4.0
45 +	1300	1323	1325	1.9	61.6	60.2	59.9	-2.8	801	796	793	-1.0
45-54	474	480	481	1.5	93.8	93.6	93.6	-0.2	444	449	450	1.4
55-64	428	432	432	0.9	71.5	68.5	67.2	-6.0	306	296	290	-5.2
65 +	398	411	412	3.5	12.6	12.5	12.8	1.6	50	51	53	6.0
Females	3678	3736	3742	1.7	59.9	60.8	60.8	1.5	2204	2273	2275	3.2
15-24	739	728	727	-1.6	80.0	81.9	81.3	1.6	591	597	591	0.0
15-19	333	331	331	-0.6	72.5	79.2	76.2	5.1	242	262	252	4.1
20-24	406	397	396	-2.5	86.1	84.2	85.5	-0.7	349	334	339	-2.9
25-44	1465	1508	1512	3.2	76.7	75.8	75.9	-1.0	1123	1143	1148	2.2
25-34	800	821	823	2.9	77.2	75.6	76.1	-1.4	618	621	626	1.3
35-44	665	687	689	3.6	76.0	76.0	75.8	-0.3	505	522	522	3.4
45 +	1474	1500	1503	2.0	33.2	35.5	35.7	7.5	490	533	536	9.4
45-54	476	484	485	1.9	63.8	67.7	68.6	7.5	304	328	333	9.5
55-64	460	460	460	0.0	37.5	39.2	38.1	1.6	172	180	175	1.7
65 +	538	555	557	3.5	2.5	4.5	4.9	96.0	13	25	28	115.4
Both Sexes	7162	7281	7292	1.8	70.3	70.7	70.5	0.3	5035	5148	5142	2.1
15-24	1503	1484	1482	-1.4	82.4	84.9	83.4	1.2	1239	1259	1237	-0.2
15-19	682	679	679	-0.4	73.6	79.5	76.0	3.3	502	540	516	2.8
20-24	821	805	803	-2.2	89.8	89.4	89.7	-0.1	737	719	721	-2.2
25-44	2884	2974	2982	3.4	86.8	86.1	86.4	-0.5	2505	2559	2575	2.8
25-34	1570	1616	1620	3.2	87.2	85.9	86.3	-1.0	1368	1388	1397	2.1
35-44	1315	1358	1362	3.6	86.4	86.2	86.5	0.1	1137	1171	1178	3.6
45 +	2774	2823	2828	1.9	46.5	47.1	47.0	1.1	1290	1329	1329	3.0
45-54	950	965	966	1.7	78.8	80.6	81.1	2.9	748	777	784	4.8
55-64	888	892	892	0.5	53.9	53.4	52.2	-3.2	478	476	465	-2.7
65 +	936	966	969	3.5	6.8	7.9	8.3	22.1	64	76	80	25.0



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
			Change				Change				Change	
	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	August 86- August 87	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	August 86- August 87	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	August 86- August 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2667	2740	2748	81	2527	2611	2627	100	141	129	121	-20
15-24	586	609	596	10	495	525	518	23	91	84	78	-13
25-44	1315	1358	1378	63	1298	1345	1367	69	17	13	11	-6
45 +	767	773	774	7	734	741	742	8	33	32	32	-1
45-54	432	436	440	8	427	433	437	10	5	--	--	--
55-64	287	286	282	-5	274	272	267	-7	12	14	15	3
65 +	49	51	53	4	33	36	38	5	15	15	15	0
Females	2041	2112	2110	69	1620	1652	1677	57	421	460	433	12
15-24	545	544	547	2	415	399	415	0	130	145	133	3
25-44	1039	1068	1059	20	861	882	882	21	178	186	178	0
45 +	457	500	503	46	344	371	380	36	113	129	122	9
45-54	286	308	317	31	224	238	244	20	62	71	73	11
55-64	159	168	160	1	114	122	122	8	45	46	38	-7
65 +	12	24	26	14	6	12	15	9	6	12	11	5
Both Sexes	4709	4852	4858	149	4147	4263	4304	157	561	589	554	-7
15-24	1131	1153	1143	12	910	924	933	23	221	229	211	-10
25-44	2354	2426	2438	84	2159	2227	2249	90	195	199	188	-7
45 +	1224	1273	1277	53	1078	1112	1122	44	145	161	155	10
45-54	717	744	757	40	650	670	680	30	67	74	76	9
55-64	446	454	441	-5	389	394	389	0	57	59	53	-4
65 +	61	75	79	18	40	47	53	13	21	27	26	5

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



# 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86-August 87	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86-August 87
Males	164	135	118	-46	5.8	4.7	4.1	-1.7
15-24	62	53	50	-12	9.6	8.0	7.7	-1.9
15-19	28	29	27	-1	10.7	10.5	10.4	-0.3
20-24	34	24	22	-12	8.9	6.2	5.9	-3.0
25-44	67	58	49	-18	4.9	4.1	3.5	-1.4
25-34	37	38	27	-10	5.0	5.0	3.5	-1.5
35-44	30	20	22	-8	4.8	3.1	3.4	-1.4
45 +	34	24	19	-15	4.3	3.0	2.4	-1.9
45-54	13	13	10	-3	2.9	3.0	2.3	-0.6
55-64	19	10	9	-10	6.4	3.5	3.0	-3.4
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	162	161	165	3	7.4	7.1	7.3	-0.1
15-24	46	53	44	-2	7.8	8.9	7.4	-0.4
15-19	20	29	19	-1	8.3	11.0	7.4	-0.9
20-24	26	24	25	-1	7.5	7.2	7.4	-0.1
25-44	83	75	88	5	7.4	6.6	7.7	0.3
25-34	47	47	53	6	7.7	7.5	8.5	0.8
35-44	36	28	35	-1	7.1	5.4	6.7	-0.4
45 +	32	33	33	1	6.6	6.2	6.2	-0.4
45-54	18	19	16	-2	5.9	5.9	4.9	-1.0
55-64	13	12	15	2	7.8	6.8	8.8	1.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	326	296	284	-42	6.5	5.8	5.5	-1.0
15-24	109	106	94	-15	8.8	8.4	7.6	-1.2
15-19	48	58	46	-2	9.5	10.8	8.9	-0.6
20-24	61	48	47	-14	8.2	6.7	6.6	-1.6
25-44	151	133	138	-13	6.0	5.2	5.4	-0.6
25-34	85	85	81	-4	6.2	6.1	5.8	-0.4
35-44	66	48	57	-9	5.8	4.1	4.9	-0.9
45 +	67	57	52	-15	5.2	4.3	3.9	-1.3
45-54	31	33	27	-4	4.1	4.2	3.4	-0.7
55-64	33	23	24	-9	6.9	4.7	5.2	-1.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86- August 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4709	4852	4858	149
Agriculture	148	145	151	3
Other Primary	53	74	72	19
Manufacturing	1039	1062	1081	42
Construction	284	312	315	31
Transportation	335	317	330	-5
Trade	785	786	779	-6
Finance	270	317	313	43
Service	1495	1536	1512	17
Public Administration	298	302	305	7
Occupation	4709	4852	4858	149
Managerial	1296	1391	1390	94
Clerical	754	814	822	68
Sales	438	436	428	-10
Service	639	600	596	-43
Primary	190	207	208	18
Processing	737	725	725	-12
Construction	275	299	310	35
Transportation	158	176	176	18
Materials Handling	221	203	204	-17



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change Aug. 86-Aug. 87	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change Aug. 86-Aug. 87
All Ages	326	296	284	-42	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	90	100	82	-8	27.6	33.8	28.9	1.3
5 - 13 weeks	100	97	89	-11	30.7	32.8	31.3	0.7
14 weeks and over	121	90	90	-31	37.1	30.4	31.7	-5.4
Average duration (weeks)	17.9	15.4	15.3	-2.6	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	109	106	94	-15	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	40	47	39	-1	36.7	44.3	41.5	4.8
5 - 13 weeks	35	36	29	-6	32.1	34.0	30.9	-1.3
14 weeks and over	31	17	19	-12	28.4	16.0	20.2	-8.2
Average duration (weeks)	12.8	9.8	9.9	-2.9	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	151	133	138	-13	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	39	40	33	-6	25.8	30.1	23.9	-1.9
5 - 13 weeks	47	44	46	-1	31.1	33.1	33.3	2.2
14 weeks and over	57	46	48	-9	37.7	34.6	34.8	-3.0
Average duration (weeks)	18.3	17.6	16.7	-1.6	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	67	57	52	-15	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	10	13	10	0	14.9	22.8	19.2	4.3
5 - 13 weeks	18	16	14	-4	26.9	28.1	26.9	0.1
14 weeks and over	33	27	23	-10	49.3	47.4	44.2	-5.0
Average duration (weeks)	25.9	20.4	21.5	-4.4	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86-August 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	48	58	46	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	10.8	8.9	-0.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	23	29	23	0
5 - 13 weeks	17	18	14	-3
14 weeks and over	6	7	5	-1
Average duration (weeks)	7.9	7.8	6.6	-1.3
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	61	48	47	-14
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	6.7	6.6	-1.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	17	18	16	-1
5 - 13 weeks	18	18	14	-4
14 weeks and over	25	10	14	-11
Average duration (weeks)	16.7	12.1	13.0	-3.7

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86-August 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	442	455	451	9
Employment	401	426	419	18
Unemployment	42	29	32	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	6.4	7.1	-2.3
Sudbury				
Labour Force	72	71	68	-4
Employment	65	63	60	-5
Unemployment	8	8	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	11.5	11.6	1.1
Oshawa				
Labour Force	96	100	100	4
Employment	89	93	92	3
Unemployment	7	7	8	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	6.8	7.6	0.8
Toronto				
Labour Force	1868	1904	1898	30
Employment	1759	1816	1815	56
Unemployment	109	88	83	-26
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.9	4.6	4.4	-1.5
Hamilton				
Labour Force	307	318	323	16
Employment	284	298	303	19
Unemployment	23	19	20	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.5	6.1	6.3	-1.2
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	150	167	166	16
Employment	133	155	154	21
Unemployment	17	11	12	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.3	6.9	7.3	-4.0
London				
Labour Force	166	164	172	6
Employment	157	149	160	3
Unemployment	9	15	12	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	9.4	7.0	1.8
Windsor				
Labour Force	117	125	124	7
Employment	110	115	116	6
Unemployment	7	9	8	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.9	7.6	6.4	0.5
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	169	177	178	9
Employment	162	168	166	4
Unemployment	8	9	13	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	4.9	7.1	2.7
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	68	67	69	1
Employment	63	62	64	1
Unemployment	5	5	5	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	7.6	7.7	-0.2



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	August 1986	July 1987	August 1987	Change August 86-August 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5035	5148	5142	107
Employment	4709	4852	4858	149
Unemployment	326	296	284	-42
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	5.8	5.5	-1.0
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	248	258	253	5
Employment	202	218	213	11
Unemployment	45	40	40	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.2	15.6	15.8	-2.4
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	66	66	66	0
Employment	59	59	59	0
Unemployment	7	7	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.3	10.6	10.4	0.1
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	419	424	426	7
Employment	367	379	382	15
Unemployment	52	45	44	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.4	10.6	10.4	-2.0
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	333	341	341	8
Employment	291	298	304	13
Unemployment	42	43	37	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.7	12.5	11.0	-1.7
Quebec				
Labour Force	3315	3453	3423	108
Employment	2966	3104	3094	128
Unemployment	348	350	329	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	10.1	9.6	-0.9
Manitoba				
Labour Force	546	545	551	5
Employment	508	510	512	4
Unemployment	38	35	39	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	6.4	7.1	0.1
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	512	514	511	-1
Employment	477	475	475	-2
Unemployment	35	38	36	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	7.5	7.1	0.3
Alberta				
Labour Force	1302	1307	1309	7
Employment	1172	1181	1184	12
Unemployment	131	125	125	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	9.6	9.5	-0.6
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1501	1522	1508	7
Employment	1325	1344	1346	21
Unemployment	177	178	161	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.8	11.7	10.7	-1.1
CANADA				
Labour Force	13276	13577	13529	253
Employment	12075	12419	12427	352
Unemployment	1201	1158	1102	-99
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	8.5	8.1	-0.9



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	August 1987	September 1987	Change	September 1986	August 1987	September 1987	Sept. 86- Sept. 87
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
ONTARIO							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7174	7292	7307	133
Males	-	-	-	3489	3550	3558	69
Females	-	-	-	3684	3742	3749	65
Labour Force	4991	5032	41	4886	5142	5012	126
Males	2766	2794	28	2735	2867	2779	44
Females	2225	2238	13	2151	2275	2233	82
Participation Rate (%)	68.4	68.9	0.5	68.1	70.5	68.6	0.5
Males	77.9	78.5	0.6	78.4	80.7	78.1	-0.3
Females	59.5	59.7	0.2	58.4	60.8	59.6	1.2
Employment	4701	4741	40	4561	4858	4740	179
Males	2632	2649	17	2576	2748	2656	80
Females	2069	2092	23	1985	2110	2084	99
Unemployment	290	291	1	325	284	272	-53
Males	134	145	11	159	118	123	-36
Females	156	146	-10	166	165	149	-17
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	5.8	0.0	6.6	5.5	5.4	-1.2
Males	4.8	5.2	0.4	5.8	4.1	4.4	-1.4
Females	7.0	6.5	-0.5	7.7	7.3	6.7	-1.0
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19641	19852	19878	237
Males	-	-	-	9598	9701	9714	116
Females	-	-	-	10043	10151	10164	121
Labour Force	13130	13161	31	12865	13529	13153	288
Males	7409	7433	24	7343	7694	7431	88
Females	5721	5728	7	5523	5835	5722	199
Participation Rate (%)	66.1	66.2	0.1	65.5	68.2	66.2	0.7
Males	76.4	76.5	0.1	76.5	79.3	76.5	0.0
Females	56.4	56.4	0.0	55.0	57.5	56.3	1.3
Employment	11979	12031	52	11738	12427	12123	385
Males	6793	6817	24	6758	7146	6917	159
Females	5186	5214	28	4980	5281	5206	226
Unemployment	1151	1130	-21	1127	1102	1030	-97
Males	616	616	0	584	548	514	-70
Females	535	514	-21	543	555	515	-28
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	8.6	-0.2	8.8	8.1	7.8	-1.0
Males	8.3	8.3	0.0	8.0	7.1	6.9	-1.1
Females	9.4	9.0	-0.4	9.8	9.5	9.0	-0.8



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	Sept. 1986	August 1987	% Change		Sept. 1986	August 1987	% Change		Sept. 1986	August 1987	% Change	
			Sept. 1987	Sept. 86- Sept. 87			Sept. 1987	Sept. 86- Sept. 87			Sept. 1987	Sept. 86- Sept. 87
Males	3489	3550	3558	2.0	78.4	80.7	78.1	-0.4	2735	2867	2779	1.6
15-24	763	755	754	-1.2	70.5	85.5	71.2	1.0	538	646	537	-0.2
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	55.8	75.9	56.6	1.4	195	264	197	1.0
20-24	414	407	406	-1.9	82.9	93.8	83.7	1.0	343	382	340	-0.9
25-44	1424	1470	1475	3.6	97.2	97.1	96.6	-0.6	1384	1428	1426	3.0
25-34	772	797	801	3.8	97.3	96.8	96.1	-1.2	751	772	770	2.5
35-44	652	673	675	3.5	97.0	97.5	97.2	0.2	633	656	656	3.6
45 +	1302	1325	1329	2.1	62.5	59.9	61.5	-1.6	813	793	817	0.5
45-54	474	481	482	1.7	93.6	93.6	94.7	1.2	444	450	457	2.9
55-64	428	432	433	1.2	71.6	67.2	68.6	-4.2	307	290	297	-3.3
65 +	400	412	414	3.5	15.6	12.8	15.2	-2.6	62	53	63	1.6
Females	3684	3742	3749	1.8	58.4	60.8	59.6	2.1	2151	2275	2233	3.8
15-24	738	727	726	-1.6	67.5	81.3	68.8	1.9	498	591	499	0.2
15-19	333	331	331	-0.6	53.8	76.2	57.4	6.7	179	252	190	6.1
20-24	405	396	395	-2.5	78.7	85.5	78.3	-0.5	319	339	309	-3.1
25-44	1469	1512	1517	3.3	78.5	75.9	77.8	-0.9	1153	1148	1180	2.3
25-34	802	823	825	2.9	79.6	76.1	77.3	-2.9	638	626	638	0.0
35-44	667	689	692	3.7	77.2	75.8	78.3	1.4	515	522	542	5.2
45 +	1477	1503	1506	2.0	33.9	35.7	36.8	8.6	501	536	554	10.6
45-54	477	485	486	1.9	65.9	68.6	70.2	6.5	315	333	341	8.3
55-64	460	460	460	0.0	37.8	38.1	40.2	6.3	174	175	185	6.3
65 +	540	557	559	3.5	2.2	4.9	4.9	122.7	12	28	27	125.0
Both Sexes	7174	7292	7307	1.9	68.1	70.5	68.6	0.7	4886	5142	5012	2.6
15-24	1501	1482	1480	-1.4	69.0	83.4	70.0	1.4	1036	1237	1036	0.0
15-19	682	679	679	-0.4	54.8	76.0	57.0	4.0	374	516	387	3.5
20-24	819	803	801	-2.2	80.8	89.7	81.0	0.2	662	721	649	-2.0
25-44	2893	2982	2992	3.4	87.7	86.4	87.1	-0.7	2536	2575	2605	2.7
25-34	1574	1620	1626	3.3	88.2	86.3	86.6	-1.8	1389	1397	1400	1.4
35-44	1319	1362	1367	3.6	87.0	86.5	87.6	0.7	1148	1178	1198	4.4
45 +	2780	2828	2835	2.0	47.3	47.0	48.4	2.3	1314	1329	1371	4.3
45-54	952	966	969	1.8	79.7	81.1	82.4	3.4	759	784	798	5.1
55-64	888	892	893	0.6	54.1	52.2	54.0	-0.2	481	465	482	0.2
65 +	940	969	973	3.5	7.9	8.3	9.3	17.7	74	80	90	21.6



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86- Sept. 87	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86- Sept. 87	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86- Sept. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2576	2748	2656	80	2365	2627	2449	84	211	121	208	-3
15-24	472	596	493	21	321	518	348	27	151	78	145	-6
25-44	1321	1378	1367	46	1299	1367	1348	49	22	11	19	-3
45 +	783	774	796	13	745	742	753	8	38	32	44	6
45-54	433	440	444	11	428	437	438	10	5	—	6	1
55-64	291	282	289	-2	277	267	274	-3	13	15	16	3
65 +	60	53	63	3	39	38	41	2	21	15	22	1
Females	1985	2110	2084	99	1473	1677	1577	104	512	433	507	-5
15-24	440	547	465	25	261	415	277	16	179	133	187	8
25-44	1073	1059	1096	23	864	882	903	39	209	178	193	-16
45 +	471	503	523	52	348	380	397	49	124	122	127	3
45-54	296	317	324	28	223	244	254	31	72	73	70	-2
55-64	164	160	174	10	118	122	129	11	47	38	45	-2
65 +	11	26	26	15	6	15	14	8	5	11	12	7
Both Sexes	4561	4858	4740	179	3837	4304	4026	189	724	554	715	-9
15-24	912	1143	958	46	582	933	625	43	330	211	332	2
25-44	2394	2438	2463	69	2153	2249	2251	88	231	188	212	-19
45 +	1255	1277	1320	65	1092	1122	1150	58	163	155	171	8
45-54	728	757	768	40	651	680	692	41	77	76	76	-1
55-64	455	441	463	8	395	389	403	8	60	53	61	1
65 +	71	79	88	17	45	53	55	10	26	26	33	7

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86- Sept. 87	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86- Sept. 87
<b>Males</b>	159	118	123	-36	5.8	4.1	4.4	-1.4
15-24	66	50	44	-22	12.3	7.7	8.2	-4.1
15-19	27	27	27	0	13.9	10.4	13.5	-0.4
20-24	39	22	18	-21	11.4	5.9	5.2	-6.2
25-44	63	49	59	-4	4.5	3.5	4.1	-0.4
25-34	40	27	37	-3	5.3	3.5	4.7	-0.6
35-44	23	22	22	-1	3.6	3.4	3.4	-0.2
45 +	30	19	20	-10	3.7	2.4	2.5	-1.2
45-54	12	10	13	1	2.6	2.3	2.7	0.1
55-64	16	9	7	-9	5.3	3.0	2.5	-2.8
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<b>Females</b>	166	165	149	-17	7.7	7.3	6.7	-1.0
15-24	57	44	35	-22	11.5	7.4	6.9	-4.6
15-19	25	19	15	-10	14.1	7.4	7.9	-6.2
20-24	32	25	20	-12	10.1	7.4	6.4	-3.7
25-44	79	88	84	5	6.9	7.7	7.1	0.2
25-34	48	53	49	1	7.5	8.5	7.6	0.1
35-44	32	35	35	3	6.1	6.7	6.5	0.4
45 +	29	33	31	2	5.9	6.2	5.5	-0.4
45-54	19	16	18	-1	6.0	4.9	5.1	-0.9
55-64	9	15	11	2	5.4	8.8	6.1	0.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
<b>Both Sexes</b>	325	284	272	-53	6.6	5.5	5.4	-1.2
15-24	124	94	79	-45	11.9	7.6	7.6	-4.3
15-19	52	46	41	-11	14	8.9	10.7	-3.3
20-24	71	47	37	-34	10.8	6.6	5.7	-5.1
25-44	142	138	142	0	5.6	5.4	5.5	-0.1
25-34	87	81	85	-2	6.3	5.8	6.0	-0.3
35-44	55	57	57	2	4.8	4.9	4.8	0.0
45 +	59	52	51	-8	4.5	3.9	3.7	-0.8
45-54	30	27	30	0	4.0	3.4	3.8	-0.2
55-64	26	24	19	-7	5.4	5.2	3.9	-1.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86-Sept. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4561	4858	4740	179
Agriculture	140	151	126	-14
Other Primary	53	72	67	14
Manufacturing	1219	1281	1242	23
Construction	266	315	292	26
Transportation	321	330	335	14
Trade	771	779	790	19
Finance	268	313	314	46
Service	1450	1512	1505	55
Public Administration	271	305	270	-1
Occupation	4561	4858	4740	179
Managerial	1276	1390	1364	88
Clerical	721	822	786	65
Sales	446	428	433	-13
Service	598	596	609	11
Primary	171	208	167	-4
Processing	725	725	720	-5
Construction	262	310	292	30
Transportation	157	176	180	23
Materials Handling	204	204	188	-16



## 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86-Sept. 87	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86-Sept. 87
All Ages	325	284	272	-53	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	136	82	118	-18	41.8	28.9	43.4	1.5
5 - 13 weeks	73	89	66	-7	22.5	31.3	24.3	1.8
14 weeks and over	108	90	83	-25	33.2	31.7	30.5	-2.7
Average duration (weeks)	16.3	15.3	14.0	-2.3	—	—	—	—
15 - 24 Years	124	94	79	-45	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	65	39	52	-13	52.4	41.5	65.8	13.4
5 - 13 weeks	29	29	15	-14	23.4	30.9	19.0	-4.4
14 weeks and over	29	19	12	-17	23.4	20.2	15.2	-8.2
Average duration (weeks)	11.1	9.9	7.2	-3.9	—	—	—	—
25 - 44 Years	142	138	142	0	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	58	33	50	-8	40.8	23.9	35.2	-5.6
5 - 13 weeks	34	46	39	5	23.9	33.3	27.5	3.5
14 weeks and over	45	48	51	6	31.7	34.8	35.9	4.2
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	16.7	15.8	-1.0	—	—	—	—
45 Years and over	59	52	51	-8	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	14	10	17	3	23.7	19.2	33.3	9.6
5 - 13 weeks	10	14	13	3	16.9	26.9	25.5	8.5
14 weeks and over	33	23	20	-13	55.9	44.2	39.2	-16.7
Average duration (weeks)	26.5	21.5	19.6	-6.9	—	—	—	—



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86-Sept. 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	52	46	41	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.0	8.9	10.7	-3.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	35	23	30	-5
5 - 13 weeks	12	14	9	-3
14 weeks and over	5	5	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	6.3	6.6	5.9	-0.4
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	71	47	37	-34
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	6.6	5.7	-5.1
Duration				
4 weeks or less	30	16	22	-8
5 - 13 weeks	17	14	6	-11
14 weeks and over	24	14	9	-15
Average duration (weeks)	14.6	13.0	8.7	-5.9

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86-Sept. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	434	451	429	-5
Employment	394	419	406	12
Unemployment	39	32	22	-17
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	7.1	5.2	-3.9
Sudbury				
Labour Force	68	68	67	-1
Employment	60	60	59	-1
Unemployment	7	8	8	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	11.6	11.5	0.7
Oshawa				
Labour Force	95	100	99	4
Employment	88	92	94	6
Unemployment	7	8	5	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	7.6	5.3	-2.1
Toronto				
Labour Force	1817	1898	1883	66
Employment	1709	1815	1793	84
Unemployment	108	83	90	-18
Unemployment Rate (%)	6	4.4	4.8	-1.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	299	323	311	12
Employment	278	303	293	15
Unemployment	22	20	18	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	6.3	5.8	-1.4
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	150	166	158	8
Employment	139	154	148	9
Unemployment	12	12	10	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.3	6.2	-1.6
London				
Labour Force	160	172	169	9
Employment	152	160	156	4
Unemployment	8	12	13	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	7.0	7.7	2.8
Windsor				
Labour Force	116	124	126	10
Employment	110	116	115	5
Unemployment	6	8	11	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	6.4	9.0	4.0
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	162	178	175	13
Employment	154	166	165	11
Unemployment	8	13	10	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	7.1	5.6	0.8
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	62	69	66	4
Employment	58	64	61	3
Unemployment	5	5	5	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	7.7	7.0	-0.4



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Sept. 1986	August 1987	Sept. 1987	Change Sept. 86-Sept. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4886	5142	5012	126
Employment	4561	4858	4740	179
Unemployment	325	284	272	-53
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	5.5	5.4	-1.2
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	233	253	237	4
Employment	192	213	201	9
Unemployment	42	40	36	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.8	15.8	15.3	-2.5
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	61	66	62	1
Employment	55	59	55	0
Unemployment	6	7	7	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	10.4	10.8	0.8
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	400	426	411	11
Employment	353	382	371	18
Unemployment	46	44	40	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	10.4	9.7	-1.9
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	316	341	327	11
Employment	281	304	292	11
Unemployment	36	37	35	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.3	11.0	10.7	-0.6
Quebec				
Labour Force	3234	3423	3320	86
Employment	2909	3094	3010	101
Unemployment	325	329	310	-15
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	9.6	9.3	-0.7
Manitoba				
Labour Force	531	551	540	9
Employment	500	512	504	4
Unemployment	31	39	36	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.9	7.1	6.6	0.7
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	491	511	497	6
Employment	458	475	468	10
Unemployment	32	36	29	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	7.1	5.8	-0.8
Alberta				
Labour Force	1257	1309	1271	14
Employment	1142	1184	1159	17
Unemployment	115	125	112	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	9.5	8.8	-0.4
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1455	1508	1476	21
Employment	1287	1346	1322	35
Unemployment	169	161	154	-15
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	10.7	10.4	-1.2
CANADA				
Labour Force	12865	13529	13153	288
Employment	11738	12427	12123	385
Unemployment	1127	1102	1030	-97
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	8.1	7.8	-1.0



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	September 1987	October 1987	Change	October 1986	September 1987	October 1987	Oct. 86- Oct. 87
ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7185	7307	7322	137
Males	-	-	-	3495	3558	3566	71
Females	-	-	-	3690	3749	3756	66
Labour Force	5032	5059	27	4887	5012	5032	145
Males	2794	2818	24	2730	2779	2798	68
Females	2238	2241	3	2157	2233	2234	77
Participation Rate (%)	68.9	69.1	0.2	68.0	68.6	68.7	0.7
Males	78.5	79.0	0.5	78.1	78.1	78.5	0.4
Females	59.7	59.7	0.0	58.5	59.6	59.5	1.0
Employment	4741	4771	30	4574	4740	4769	195
Males	2649	2674	25	2573	2656	2673	100
Females	2092	2097	5	2001	2084	2096	95
Unemployment	291	288	-3	313	272	262	-51
Males	145	144	-1	157	123	125	-32
Females	146	144	-2	155	149	137	-18
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	5.7	-0.1	6.4	5.4	5.2	-1.2
Males	5.2	5.1	-0.1	5.8	4.4	4.5	-1.3
Females	6.5	6.4	-0.1	7.2	6.7	6.1	-1.1
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19659	19878	19902	243
Males	-	-	-	9607	9714	9726	119
Females	-	-	-	10052	10164	10176	124
Labour Force	13161	13202	41	12835	13153	13162	327
Males	7433	7466	33	7306	7431	7438	132
Females	5728	5736	8	5530	5722	5724	194
Participation Rate (%)	66.2	66.3	0.1	65.3	66.2	66.1	0.8
Males	76.5	76.8	0.3	76.0	76.5	76.5	0.5
Females	56.4	56.4	0.0	55.0	56.3	56.3	1.3
Employment	12031	12091	60	11720	12123	12162	442
Males	6817	6862	45	6721	6917	6927	206
Females	5214	5229	15	4998	5206	5236	238
Unemployment	1130	1111	-19	1116	1030	1000	-116
Males	616	604	-12	584	514	511	-73
Females	514	507	-7	531	515	488	-43
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.6	8.4	-0.2	8.7	7.8	7.6	-1.1
Males	8.3	8.1	-0.2	8.0	6.9	6.9	-1.1
Females	9.0	8.8	-0.2	9.6	9.0	8.5	-1.1



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Oct. 86- Oct. 87	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Oct. 86- Oct. 87	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Oct. 86- Oct. 87
Males	3495	3558	3566	2.0	78.1	78.1	78.5	0.5	2730	2779	2798	2.5
15-24	763	754	754	-1.2	71.4	71.2	74.1	3.8	545	537	558	2.4
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	56.1	56.6	59.1	5.3	196	197	206	5.1
20-24	414	406	406	-1.9	84.3	83.7	86.9	3.1	349	340	353	1.1
25-44	1428	1475	1480	3.6	96.4	96.6	96.3	-0.1	1377	1426	1426	3.6
25-34	774	801	804	3.9	96.2	96.1	95.6	-0.6	745	770	769	3.2
35-44	654	675	677	3.5	96.7	97.2	97.2	0.5	632	656	658	4.1
45 +	1304	1329	1331	2.1	62.0	61.5	61.1	-1.5	808	817	814	0.7
45-54	475	482	483	1.7	93.6	94.7	93.9	0.3	444	457	454	2.3
55-64	429	433	433	0.9	71.5	68.6	68.6	-4.1	306	297	297	-2.9
65 +	401	414	415	3.5	14.4	15.2	15.1	4.9	58	63	63	8.6
Females	3690	3749	3756	1.8	58.5	59.6	59.5	1.7	2157	2233	2234	3.6
15-24	737	726	725	-1.6	66.3	68.8	69.2	4.4	489	499	502	2.7
15-19	333	331	331	-0.6	53.7	57.4	59.0	9.9	179	190	196	9.5
20-24	404	395	394	-2.5	76.7	78.3	77.8	1.4	310	309	307	-1.0
25-44	1473	1517	1522	3.3	78.9	77.8	77.2	-2.2	1162	1180	1174	1.0
25-34	804	825	828	3.0	79.2	77.3	75.9	-4.2	637	638	629	-1.3
35-44	669	692	694	3.7	78.5	78.3	78.7	0.3	525	542	546	4.0
45 +	1480	1506	1509	2.0	34.2	36.8	36.9	7.9	506	554	557	10.1
45-54	478	486	487	1.9	65.9	70.2	70.7	7.3	315	341	344	9.2
55-64	460	460	461	0.2	37.7	40.2	40.4	7.2	173	185	186	7.5
65 +	542	559	561	3.5	3.3	4.9	4.8	45.5	18	27	27	50.0
Both Sexes	7185	7307	7322	1.9	68.0	68.6	68.7	1.0	4887	5012	5032	3.0
15-24	1500	1480	1479	-1.4	68.9	70.0	71.7	4.1	1033	1036	1061	2.7
15-19	682	679	679	-0.4	54.9	57.0	59.1	7.7	374	387	401	7.2
20-24	818	801	800	-2.2	80.5	81.0	82.4	2.4	659	649	659	0.0
25-44	2901	2992	3002	3.5	87.5	87.1	86.6	-1.0	2539	2605	2601	2.4
25-34	1578	1626	1631	3.4	87.6	86.6	85.6	-2.3	1382	1408	1397	1.1
35-44	1323	1367	1371	3.6	87.5	87.6	87.8	0.3	1157	1198	1203	4.0
45 +	2784	2835	2840	2.0	47.2	48.4	48.3	2.3	1314	1371	1371	4.3
45-54	953	969	971	1.9	79.7	82.4	82.3	3.3	759	798	798	5.1
55-64	889	893	894	0.6	54.0	54.0	54.0	0.0	480	482	483	0.6
65 +	943	973	976	3.5	8.0	9.3	9.2	15.0	75	90	89	18.7



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86- Oct. 87	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86 Oct. 87	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86- Oct. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2573	2656	2673	100	2354	2449	2448	94	219	208	225	6
15-24	484	493	506	22	326	348	340	14	158	145	165	7
25-44	1308	1367	1376	68	1284	1348	1354	70	24	19	22	-2
45 +	780	796	791	11	744	753	754	10	37	44	38	1
45-54	429	444	441	12	426	438	436	10	4	6	5	1
55-64	295	289	288	-7	283	274	274	-9	12	16	14	2
65 +	56	63	62	6	36	41	43	7	20	22	19	-1
Females	2001	2084	2096	95	1488	1577	1592	104	513	507	504	-9
15-24	433	465	463	30	249	277	273	24	184	187	190	6
25-44	1087	1096	1105	18	885	903	917	32	202	193	187	-15
45 +	481	523	528	47	354	397	402	48	127	127	127	0
45-54	302	324	328	26	225	254	256	31	76	70	71	-5
55-64	163	174	175	12	120	129	133	13	43	45	42	-1
65 +	16	26	26	10	8	14	12	4	8	12	13	5
Both Sexes	4574	4740	4769	195	3843	4026	4041	198	732	715	729	-3
15-24	918	958	969	51	575	625	614	39	343	332	355	12
25-44	2395	2463	2481	86	2169	2251	2271	102	226	212	209	-17
45 +	1262	1320	1319	57	1099	1150	1156	57	163	171	165	2
45-54	731	768	769	38	651	692	693	42	80	76	76	-4
55-64	458	463	463	5	403	403	407	4	55	61	56	1
65 +	73	88	87	14	44	55	55	11	28	33	32	4

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86- Oct. 87	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86- Oct. 87
Males	157	123	125	-32	5.8	4.4	4.5	-1.3
15-24	60	44	52	-8	11.0	8.2	9.4	-1.6
15-19	28	27	28	0	14.6	13.5	13.5	-1.1
20-24	32	18	25	-7	9.1	5.2	7.0	-2.1
25-44	69	59	50	-19	5.0	4.1	3.5	-1.5
25-34	50	37	31	-19	6.8	4.7	4.0	-2.8
35-44	19	22	19	0	3.0	3.4	2.9	-0.1
45 +	28	20	23	-5	3.5	2.5	2.8	-0.7
45-54	15	13	13	-2	3.4	2.7	2.9	-0.5
55-64	12	7	9	-3	3.8	2.5	2.9	-0.9
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	155	149	137	-18	7.2	6.7	6.1	-1.1
15-24	55	35	39	-16	11.3	6.9	7.8	-3.5
15-19	23	15	21	-2	13.1	7.9	10.5	-2.6
20-24	32	20	18	-14	10.3	6.4	6.0	-4.3
25-44	75	84	70	-5	6.5	7.1	5.9	-0.6
25-34	44	49	42	-2	6.9	7.6	6.7	-0.2
35-44	31	35	27	-4	6.0	6.5	5.0	-1.0
45 +	25	31	29	4	4.9	5.5	5.1	0.2
45-54	13	18	17	4	4.2	5.1	4.9	0.7
55-64	10	11	11	1	5.9	6.1	5.9	0.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	313	272	262	-51	6.4	5.4	5.2	-1.2
15-24	115	79	91	-24	11.2	7.6	8.6	-2.6
15-19	52	41	48	-4	13.9	10.7	12.1	-1.8
20-24	63	37	43	-20	9.6	5.7	6.5	-3.1
25-44	144	142	120	-24	5.7	5.5	4.6	-1.1
25-34	94	85	73	-21	6.8	6.0	5.2	-1.6
35-44	50	57	47	-3	4.3	4.8	3.9	-0.4
45 +	53	51	51	-2	4.0	3.7	3.7	-0.3
45-54	28	30	30	2	3.7	3.8	3.7	0.0
55-64	22	19	20	-2	4.6	3.9	4.1	-0.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86-Oct. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4574	4740	4769	195
Agriculture	137	126	121	-16
Other Primary	52	67	60	8
Manufacturing	1023	1042	1065	42
Construction	267	292	303	36
Transportation	308	335	323	15
Trade	779	790	817	38
Finance	281	314	299	18
Service	1449	1505	1514	65
Public Administration	278	270	268	-10
Occupation	4574	4740	4769	195
Managerial	1288	1364	1393	105
Clerical	743	786	775	32
Sales	454	433	435	-19
Service	598	609	608	10
Primary	162	167	160	-2
Processing	721	720	739	18
Construction	255	292	286	31
Transportation	156	180	172	16
Materials Handling	198	188	203	5



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86-Oct. 87	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86-Oct. 87
All Ages	313	272	262	-51	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	115	118	99	-16	36.7	43.4	37.8	1.0
5 - 13 weeks	88	66	81	-7	28.1	24.3	30.9	2.8
14 weeks and over	105	83	78	-27	33.5	30.5	29.8	-3.8
Average duration (weeks)	15.7	14.0	13.9	-1.8	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	115	79	91	-24	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	48	52	41	-7	41.7	65.8	45.1	3.3
5 - 13 weeks	38	15	37	-1	33.0	19.0	40.7	7.6
14 weeks and over	28	12	13	-15	24.3	15.2	14.3	-10.1
Average duration (weeks)	11.0	7.2	9.1	-1.9	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	144	142	120	-24	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	51	50	41	-10	35.4	35.2	34.2	-1.3
5 - 13 weeks	42	39	32	-10	29.2	27.5	26.7	-2.5
14 weeks and over	48	51	44	-4	33.3	35.9	36.7	3.3
Average duration (weeks)	16.0	15.8	15.3	-0.7	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	53	51	51	-2	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	16	17	17	1	30.2	33.3	33.3	3.1
5 - 13 weeks	8	13	12	4	15.1	25.5	23.5	8.4
14 weeks and over	28	20	20	-8	52.8	39.2	39.2	-13.6
Average duration (weeks)	24.9	19.6	19.4	-5.5	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct.86- Oct.87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	52	41	48	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.9	10.7	12.1	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	24	30	22	-2
5 - 13 weeks	21	9	23	2
14 weeks and over	6	—	—	—
Average duration (weeks)	8.0	5.9	7.3	-0.7
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	18	*	13	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.4	*	10.9	-5.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	8	*	8	0
5 - 13 weeks	5	*	—	—
14 weeks and over	5	*	—	—
Average duration (weeks)	11.7	*	9.7	-2
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	63	37	43	-20
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	5.7	6.5	-3.1
Duration				
4 weeks or less	24	22	19	-5
5 - 13 weeks	17	6	14	-3
14 weeks and over	22	9	10	-12
Average duration (weeks)	13.5	8.7	11.2	-2.3
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	59	*	39	-20
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	*	6.7	-3.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	23	*	18	-5
5 - 13 weeks	15	*	13	-2
14 weeks and over	21	*	9	-12
Average duration (weeks)	13.9	*	11.4	-2.5

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86-Oct. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	435	429	441	6
Employment	401	406	412	11
Unemployment	34	22	30	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	5.2	6.7	-1.1
Sudbury				
Labour Force	64	67	65	1
Employment	56	59	59	3
Unemployment	7	8	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	11.5	10.4	-1.2
Oshawa				
Labour Force	96	99	101	5
Employment	90	94	97	7
Unemployment	6	5	--	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	5.3	--	--
Toronto				
Labour Force	1808	1883	1875	67
Employment	1716	1793	1802	86
Unemployment	92	90	73	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.1	4.8	3.9	-1.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	306	311	319	13
Employment	286	293	303	17
Unemployment	20	18	16	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	5.8	5.0	-1.6
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	150	158	153	3
Employment	138	148	144	6
Unemployment	12	10	10	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	6.2	6.5	-1.3
London				
Labour Force	162	169	169	7
Employment	153	156	159	6
Unemployment	10	13	10	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	7.7	6.0	-0.1
Windsor				
Labour Force	119	126	125	6
Employment	108	115	111	3
Unemployment	11	11	14	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	9.0	10.8	1.3
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	162	175	174	12
Employment	153	165	167	14
Unemployment	9	10	7	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7	5.6	4.2	-1.5
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	62	66	65	3
Employment	58	61	60	2
Unemployment	4	5	5	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	7.0	7.4	0.6



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Oct. 1986	Sept. 1987	Oct. 1987	Change Oct. 86-Oct. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4887	5012	5032	145
Employment	4574	4740	4769	195
Unemployment	313	272	262	-51
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	5.4	5.2	-1.2
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	224	237	227	3
Employment	183	201	192	9
Unemployment	42	36	35	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.6	15.3	15.6	-3
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	61	62	62	1
Employment	54	55	55	1
Unemployment	7	7	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.1	10.8	10.4	-0.7
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	396	411	411	15
Employment	346	371	371	25
Unemployment	50	40	39	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.7	9.7	9.6	-3.1
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	308	327	322	14
Employment	272	292	283	11
Unemployment	37	35	39	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.8	10.7	12.2	0.4
Quebec				
Labour Force	3222	3320	3324	102
Employment	2901	3010	3029	128
Unemployment	322	310	295	-27
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	9.3	8.9	-1.1
Manitoba				
Labour Force	536	540	535	-1
Employment	504	504	497	-7
Unemployment	32	36	38	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.9	6.6	7.0	1.1
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	496	497	497	1
Employment	464	468	466	2
Unemployment	32	29	31	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	5.8	6.2	-0.3
Alberta				
Labour Force	1261	1271	1265	4
Employment	1144	1159	1167	23
Unemployment	117	112	98	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	8.8	7.7	-1.6
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1443	1476	1488	45
Employment	1278	1322	1332	54
Unemployment	165	154	156	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	10.4	10.5	-1.0
CANADA				
Labour Force	12835	13153	13162	327
Employment	11720	12123	12162	442
Unemployment	1116	1030	1000	-116
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	7.8	7.6	-1.1



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	October	November	Change	November	October	November	Nov. 86- Nov. 87
	1987	1987		1986	1987	1987	
ONTARIO							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7197	7322	7334	137
Males	-	-	-	3501	3566	3572	71
Females	-	-	-	3696	3756	3762	66
Labour Force	5059	5086	27	4877	5032	5052	175
Males	2818	2823	5	2730	2798	2796	66
Females	2241	2263	22	2148	2234	2255	107
Participation Rate (%)	69.1	69.3	0.2	67.8	68.7	68.9	1.1
Males	79.0	79.0	0.0	78.0	78.5	78.3	0.3
Females	59.7	60.2	0.5	58.1	59.5	60.0	1.9
Employment	4771	4788	17	4576	4769	4779	203
Males	2674	2674	0	2571	2673	2661	90
Females	2097	2114	17	2004	2096	2118	114
Unemployment	288	298	10	302	262	273	-29
Males	144	149	5	158	125	136	-22
Females	144	149	5	143	137	137	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7	5.9	0.2	6.2	5.2	5.4	-0.8
Males	5.1	5.3	0.2	5.8	4.5	4.8	-1.0
Females	6.4	6.6	0.2	6.7	6.1	6.1	-0.6
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19677	19902	19923	246
Males	-	-	-	9616	9726	9737	121
Females	-	-	-	10061	10176	10186	125
Labour Force	13202	13195	-7	12781	13162	13073	292
Males	7466	7449	-17	7273	7438	7369	96
Females	5736	5746	10	5507	5724	5704	197
Participation Rate (%)	66.3	66.2	-0.1	65.0	66.1	65.6	0.6
Males	76.8	76.5	-0.3	75.6	76.5	75.7	0.1
Females	56.4	56.4	0.0	54.7	56.3	56.0	1.3
Employment	12091	12114	23	11607	12162	12049	442
Males	6862	6872	10	6627	6927	6829	202
Females	5229	5242	13	4980	5236	5220	240
Unemployment	1111	1081	-30	1173	1000	1024	-149
Males	604	577	-27	646	511	540	-106
Females	507	504	-3	527	488	484	-43
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.4	8.2	-0.2	9.2	7.6	7.8	-1.4
Males	8.1	7.7	-0.4	8.9	6.9	7.3	-1.6
Females	8.8	8.8	0.0	9.6	8.5	8.5	-1.1



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	% Change		Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	% Change		Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	% Change	
			Nov. 1987	Nov. 86- Nov. 87			Nov. 1987	Nov. 86- Nov. 87			Nov. 1987	Nov. 86- Nov. 87
Males	3501	3566	3572	2.0	78.0	78.5	78.3	0.4	2730	2798	2796	2.4
15-24	762	754	753	-1.2	71.1	74.1	72.6	2.1	542	558	547	0.9
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	56.5	59.1	59.1	4.6	197	206	206	4.6
20-24	414	406	405	-2.2	83.4	86.9	84.3	1.1	345	353	341	-1.2
25-44	1432	1480	1485	3.7	96.5	96.3	96.4	-0.1	1381	1426	1431	3.6
25-34	776	804	806	3.9	95.9	95.6	95.6	-0.3	744	769	771	3.6
35-44	656	677	679	3.5	97.2	97.2	97.3	0.1	637	658	660	3.6
45 +	1307	1331	1334	2.1	61.7	61.1	61.3	-0.6	806	814	818	1.5
45-54	476	483	484	1.7	93.2	93.9	94.2	1.1	443	454	456	2.9
55-64	429	433	433	0.9	71.1	68.6	69.0	-3.0	305	297	299	-2.0
65 +	402	415	416	3.5	14.4	15.1	15.2	5.6	58	63	63	8.6
Females	3696	3756	3762	1.8	58.1	59.5	60.0	3.3	2148	2234	2255	5.0
15-24	737	725	724	-1.8	67.6	69.2	69.2	2.4	498	502	501	0.6
15-19	333	331	331	-0.6	54.6	59.0	58.8	7.7	182	196	195	7.1
20-24	404	394	393	-2.7	78.3	77.8	77.9	-0.5	316	307	306	-3.2
25-44	1477	1522	1526	3.3	77.5	77.2	78.2	0.9	1145	1174	1193	4.2
25-34	806	828	830	3.0	79.3	75.9	76.9	-3.0	639	629	638	-0.2
35-44	671	694	696	3.7	75.4	78.7	79.7	5.7	506	546	555	9.7
45 +	1482	1509	1512	2.0	34.0	36.9	37.1	9.1	505	557	561	11.1
45-54	479	487	488	1.9	66.7	70.7	71.5	7.2	319	344	349	9.4
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	36.7	40.4	40.7	10.9	169	186	188	11.2
65 +	544	561	563	3.5	3.1	4.8	4.4	41.9	17	27	25	47.1
Both Sexes	7197	7322	7334	1.9	67.8	68.7	68.9	1.6	4877	5032	5052	3.6
15-24	1499	1479	1478	-1.4	69.4	71.7	70.9	2.2	1040	1061	1048	0.8
15-19	682	679	679	-0.4	55.6	59.1	58.9	5.9	379	401	400	5.5
20-24	817	800	798	-2.3	80.9	82.4	81.2	0.4	661	659	648	-2.0
25-44	2909	3002	3011	3.5	86.8	86.6	87.2	0.5	2526	2601	2624	3.9
25-34	1582	1631	1636	3.4	87.4	85.6	86.1	-1.5	1383	1397	1409	1.9
35-44	1327	1371	1375	3.6	86.2	87.8	88.4	2.6	1143	1203	1215	6.3
45 +	2789	2840	2846	2.0	47.0	48.3	48.5	3.2	1311	1371	1379	5.2
45-54	954	971	972	1.9	79.9	82.3	82.8	3.6	762	798	805	5.6
55-64	889	894	894	0.6	53.3	54.0	54.4	2.1	474	483	486	2.5
65 +	946	976	979	3.5	7.9	9.2	9.0	13.9	75	89	88	17.3



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86- Nov. 87	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86 Nov. 87	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86- Nov. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2571	2673	2661	90	2351	2448	2422	71	221	225	238	17
15-24	485	506	488	3	321	340	317	-4	164	165	171	7
25-44	1306	1376	1375	69	1282	1354	1348	66	25	22	27	2
45 +	780	791	798	18	748	754	757	9	32	38	40	8
45-54	429	441	445	16	425	436	439	14	4	5	7	3
55-64	294	288	291	-3	283	274	277	-6	11	14	14	3
65 +	57	62	61	4	39	43	42	3	17	19	19	2
Females	2004	2096	2118	114	1472	1592	1572	100	532	504	546	14
15-24	449	463	458	9	252	273	258	6	197	190	200	3
25-44	1078	1105	1122	44	868	917	911	43	211	187	211	0
45 +	476	528	538	62	352	402	403	51	124	127	135	11
45-54	303	328	335	32	227	256	257	30	76	71	77	1
55-64	157	175	180	23	116	133	135	19	41	42	44	3
65 +	17	26	24	7	9	12	11	2	8	13	14	6
Both Sexes	4576	4769	4779	203	3823	4041	3995	172	753	729	784	31
15-24	935	969	946	11	573	614	575	2	362	355	371	9
25-44	2385	2481	2497	112	2149	2271	2259	110	235	209	238	3
45 +	1256	1319	1336	80	1101	1156	1161	60	156	165	175	19
45-54	731	769	780	49	652	693	696	44	79	76	84	5
55-64	451	463	470	19	400	407	412	12	52	56	58	6
65 +	74	87	86	12	48	55	53	5	25	32	33	8

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



# 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86- Nov. 87	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86- Nov. 87
Males	158	125	136	-22	5.8	4.5	4.8	-1.0
15-24	56	52	59	3	10.4	9.4	10.8	0.4
15-19	25	28	31	6	12.8	13.5	15.0	2.2
20-24	31	25	29	-2	9.1	7.0	8.4	-0.7
25-44	75	50	56	-19	5.4	3.5	3.9	-1.5
25-34	55	31	35	-20	7.4	4.0	4.6	-2.8
35-44	20	19	21	1	3.1	2.9	3.1	0.0
45 +	27	23	20	-7	3.3	2.8	2.5	-0.8
45-54	14	13	11	-3	3.2	2.9	2.3	-0.9
55-64	11	9	8	-3	3.7	2.9	2.7	-1.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	143	137	137	-6	6.7	6.1	6.1	-0.6
15-24	48	39	43	-5	9.7	7.8	8.5	-1.2
15-19	19	21	21	2	10.2	10.5	10.6	0.4
20-24	30	18	22	-8	9.5	6.0	7.2	-2.3
25-44	67	70	71	4	5.8	5.9	6.0	0.2
25-34	40	42	47	7	6.3	6.7	7.4	1.1
35-44	27	27	24	-3	5.3	5.0	4.4	-0.9
45 +	28	29	23	-5	5.6	5.1	4.1	-1.5
45-54	17	17	14	-3	5.3	4.9	4.1	-1.2
55-64	11	11	8	-3	6.8	5.9	4.3	-2.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	302	262	273	-29	6.2	5.2	5.4	-0.8
15-24	105	91	102	-3	10.1	8.6	9.7	-0.4
15-19	44	48	51	7	11.5	12.1	12.8	1.3
20-24	61	43	51	-10	9.3	6.5	7.8	-1.5
25-44	142	120	127	-15	5.6	4.6	4.8	-0.8
25-34	95	73	82	-13	6.9	5.2	5.8	-1.1
35-44	46	47	45	-1	4.1	3.9	3.7	-0.4
45 +	55	51	43	-12	4.2	3.7	3.1	-1.1
45-54	31	30	25	-6	4.1	3.7	3.1	-1.0
55-64	23	20	16	-7	4.8	4.1	3.3	-1.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86-Nov. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4576	4769	4779	203
Agriculture	122	121	107	-15
Other Primary	51	60	59	8
Manufacturing	1018	1065	1067	49
Construction	274	303	294	20
Transportation	310	323	311	1
Trade	809	817	851	42
Finance	285	299	301	16
Service	1422	1514	1523	101
Public Administration	285	268	265	-20
Occupation	4576	4769	4779	203
Managerial	1323	1393	1389	66
Clerical	759	775	801	42
Sales	458	435	456	-2
Service	583	608	591	8
Primary	142	160	142	0
Processing	716	739	752	36
Construction	255	286	281	26
Transportation	155	172	166	11
Materials Handling	184	203	201	17



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86-Nov. 87	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86-Nov. 87
All Ages	302	262	273	-29	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	93	99	110	17	30.8	37.8	40.3	9.5
5 - 13 weeks	100	81	84	-16	33.1	30.9	30.8	-2.3
14 weeks and over	105	78	74	-31	34.8	29.8	27.1	-7.7
Average duration (weeks)	16.5	13.9	13.0	-3.5	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	105	91	102	-3	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	40	41	50	10	38.1	45.1	49.0	10.9
5 - 13 weeks	38	37	34	-4	36.2	40.7	33.3	-2.9
14 weeks and over	27	13	16	-11	25.7	14.3	15.7	-10.0
Average duration (weeks)	13.0	9.1	8.5	-4.5	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	142	120	127	-15	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	39	41	47	8	27.5	34.2	37.0	9.5
5 - 13 weeks	47	32	37	-10	33.1	26.7	29.1	-4.0
14 weeks and over	53	44	41	-12	37.3	36.7	32.3	-5.0
Average duration (weeks)	17.4	15.3	14.9	-2.5	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	55	51	43	-12	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	14	17	13	-1	25.5	33.3	30.2	4.8
5 - 13 weeks	16	12	12	-4	29.1	23.5	27.9	-1.2
14 weeks and over	25	20	18	-7	45.5	39.2	41.9	-3.6
Average duration (weeks)	21.0	19.4	17.9	-3.1	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86- Nov. 87
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	44	48	51	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	12.1	12.8	1.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	19	22	28	9
5 - 13 weeks	18	23	17	-1
14 weeks and over	6	--	5	-1
Average duration (weeks)	9.1	7.3	6.5	-2.6
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	20	13	18	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.5	10.9	16.1	-1.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	7	8	10	3
5 - 13 weeks	8	--	5	-3
14 weeks and over	4	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	11.5	9.7	5.8	-5.7
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	61	43	51	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	6.5	7.8	-1.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	21	19	21	0
5 - 13 weeks	20	14	17	-3
14 weeks and over	20	10	11	-9
Average duration (weeks)	15.8	11.2	10.5	-5.3
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	56	39	47	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	6.7	8.3	-1.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	17	18	20	3
5 - 13 weeks	18	13	14	-4
14 weeks and over	20	9	11	-9
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	11.4	10.8	-6.0



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov.86- Nov.87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	435	441	440	5
Employment	402	412	413	11
Unemployment	32	30	27	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	6.7	6.2	-1.2
Sudbury				
Labour Force	64	65	67	3
Employment	57	59	58	1
Unemployment	7	7	9	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.0	10.4	13.3	2.3
Oshawa				
Labour Force	94	101	102	8
Employment	87	97	98	11
Unemployment	7	--	4	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	--	3.5	-3.5
Toronto				
Labour Force	1810	1875	1885	75
Employment	1731	1802	1807	76
Unemployment	79	73	78	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	3.9	4.1	-0.3
Hamilton				
Labour Force	316	319	313	-3
Employment	294	303	297	3
Unemployment	22	16	15	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	5.0	4.9	-2.1
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	147	153	154	7
Employment	134	144	138	4
Unemployment	13	10	16	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	6.5	10.2	1.5
London				
Labour Force	162	169	168	6
Employment	152	159	160	8
Unemployment	10	10	8	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	6.0	5.0	-1.2
Windsor				
Labour Force	119	125	127	8
Employment	109	111	115	6
Unemployment	10	14	11	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	10.8	9.1	0.9
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	164	174	175	11
Employment	155	167	166	11
Unemployment	9	7	9	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	4.2	5.2	-0.3
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	63	65	66	3
Employment	58	60	62	4
Unemployment	5	5	4	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	7.4	6.3	-1.9



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Nov. 1986	Oct. 1987	Nov. 1987	Change Nov. 86- Nov. 87
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4877	5032	5052	175
Employment	4576	4769	4779	203
Unemployment	302	262	273	-29
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	5.2	5.4	-0.8
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	215	227	220	5
Employment	174	192	184	10
Unemployment	41	35	36	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	19.2	15.6	16.4	-2.8
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	59	62	60	1
Employment	50	55	52	2
Unemployment	9	6	9	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.9	10.4	14.6	-0.3
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	395	411	410	15
Employment	341	371	364	23
Unemployment	53	39	46	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.5	9.6	11.1	-2.4
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	303	322	316	13
Employment	263	283	277	14
Unemployment	41	39	39	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.3	12.2	12.3	-1.0
Quebec				
Labour Force	3221	3324	3267	46
Employment	2885	3029	2969	84
Unemployment	336	295	298	-38
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	8.9	9.1	-1.3
Manitoba				
Labour Force	532	535	534	2
Employment	490	497	498	8
Unemployment	42	38	37	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.0	6.8	-1.0
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	485	497	492	7
Employment	449	466	458	9
Unemployment	36	31	34	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	6.2	6.9	-0.5
Alberta				
Labour Force	1256	1265	1260	4
Employment	1135	1167	1162	27
Unemployment	121	98	99	-22
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.7	7.7	7.8	-1.9
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1438	1488	1463	25
Employment	1244	1332	1308	64
Unemployment	194	156	155	-39
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.5	10.5	10.6	-2.9
CANADA				
Labour Force	12781	13162	13073	292
Employment	11607	12162	12049	442
Unemployment	1173	1000	1024	-149
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	7.6	7.8	-1.4



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	December 1987	January 1988	Change	January 1987	December 1987	January 1988	Jan. 87- Jan. 88
ONTARIO							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7221	7346	7358	137
Males	-	-	-	3513	3578	3585	72
Females	-	-	-	3708	3768	3774	66
Labour Force	5099*	5115	16	4866	5030	5030	164
Males	2834*	2840	6	2717	2790	2789	72
Females	2265	2275	10	2150	2240	2241	91
Participation Rate (%)	69.4	69.5	0.1	67.4	68.5	68.4	1.0
Males	79.2*	79.2	0.0	77.3	78.0	77.8	0.5
Females	60.1	60.3	0.2	58.0	59.5	59.4	1.4
Employment	4827	4831	4	4506	4779	4709	203
Males	2698	2702	4	2521	2656	2618	97
Females	2129	2129	0	1985	2123	2090	105
Unemployment	272*	284	12	360	251	321	-39
Males	136*	138	2	196	134	171	-25
Females	136	146	10	165	117	150	-15
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.3	5.6	0.3	7.4	5.0	6.4	-1.0
Males	4.8*	4.9	0.1	7.2	4.8	6.1	-1.1
Females	6.0	6.4	0.4	7.7	5.2	6.7	-1.0
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19715	19945	19968	253
Males	-	-	-	9634	9748	9759	125
Females	-	-	-	10081	10197	10209	128
Labour Force	13260	13300	40	12675	13057	12900	305
Males	7486	7510	24	7180	7350	7308	128
Females	5774	5790	16	5495	5706	5672	177
Participation Rate (%)	66.5	66.6	0.1	64.3	65.5	65.0	0.7
Males	76.8	77.0	0.2	74.5	75.4	74.9	0.4
Females	56.6	56.7	0.1	54.5	56.0	55.6	1.1
Employment	12190	12228	38	11333	12031	11819	486
Males	6912	6948	36	6404	6774	6661	257
Females	5278	5280	2	4929	5257	5159	230
Unemployment	1070	1072	2	1342	1025	1161	-181
Males	574	562	-12	776	576	647	-129
Females	496	510	14	566	449	513	-53
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	8.1	0.0	10.6	7.9	8.9	-1.7
Males	7.7	7.5	-0.2	10.8	7.8	8.9	-1.9
Females	8.6	8.8	0.2	10.3	7.9	9.1	-1.2

\* Revised data, Statistics Canada



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Jan. 87- Jan. 88	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Jan. 87- Jan. 88	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Jan. 87- Jan. 88
Males	3513	3578	3585	2.0	77.3	78.0	77.8	0.6	2717	2790	2789	2.6
15-24	761	752	751	-1.3	69.7	71.0	71.4	2.4	531	540	536	0.9
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	56.0	57.9	57.6	2.9	195	202	201	3.1
20-24	412	404	403	-2.2	81.3	83.7	83.2	2.3	335	338	335	0.0
25-44	1441	1490	1494	3.7	95.3	96.1	96.1	0.8	1374	1432	1436	4.5
25-34	781	809	812	4.0	94.9	95.4	95.5	0.6	741	772	776	4.7
35-44	660	680	683	3.5	95.9	97.1	96.8	0.9	633	660	661	4.4
45 +	1311	1336	1339	2.1	61.9	61.2	61.0	-1.5	812	818	817	0.6
45-54	477	485	486	1.9	93.5	93.5	93.3	-0.2	446	453	454	1.8
55-64	430	434	434	0.9	72.2	70.4	69.7	-3.5	311	305	303	-2.6
65 +	405	418	419	3.5	13.8	14.1	14.4	4.3	56	59	60	7.1
Females	3708	3768	3774	1.8	58.0	59.5	59.4	2.4	2150	2240	2241	4.2
15-24	735	723	722	-1.8	66.2	67.4	66.7	0.8	486	487	481	-1.0
15-19	333	331	331	-0.6	54.9	56.2	56.7	3.3	183	186	188	2.7
20-24	402	392	391	-2.7	75.5	76.8	75.1	-0.5	304	301	294	-3.3
25-44	1485	1530	1534	3.3	77.2	77.9	77.6	0.5	1147	1191	1191	3.8
25-34	810	832	834	3.0	77.8	77.0	76.0	-2.3	630	641	634	0.6
35-44	675	698	700	3.7	76.4	78.9	79.6	4.2	516	551	557	7.9
45 +	1487	1514	1517	2.0	34.7	37.1	37.5	8.1	517	562	568	9.9
45-54	480	489	490	2.1	67.5	71.5	71.6	6.1	324	350	351	8.3
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	38.4	40.7	41.2	7.3	177	168	190	7.3
65 +	547	564	566	3.5	2.9	4.3	4.8	65.5	16	24	27	68.8
Both Sexes	7221	7346	7358	1.9	67.4	68.5	68.4	1.5	4866	5030	5030	3.4
15-24	1496	1476	1473	-1.5	68.0	69.6	69.1	1.6	1017	1027	1017	0.0
15-19	681	679	679	-0.3	55.5	57.1	57.2	3.1	378	388	388	2.6
20-24	815	796	794	-2.6	78.5	80.3	79.2	0.9	639	640	629	-1.6
25-44	2926	3019	3029	3.5	86.1	86.9	86.8	0.8	2520	2623	2628	4.3
25-34	1591	1641	1646	3.5	86.2	86.1	85.6	-0.7	1372	1412	1410	2.8
35-44	1335	1378	1383	3.6	86.0	87.9	88.1	2.4	1149	1211	1218	6.0
45 +	2798	2851	2857	2.1	47.5	48.4	48.5	2.1	1329	1379	1385	4.2
45-54	957	974	977	2.1	80.5	82.4	82.4	2.4	770	803	805	4.5
55-64	890	895	895	0.6	54.7	55.1	55.1	0.7	487	493	493	1.2
65 +	952	982	985	3.5	7.5	8.5	8.9	18.7	72	83	87	20.8



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change
				Jan. 87- Jan. 88				Jan. 87- Jan. 88				Jan. 87- Jan. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2521	2656	2618	97	2305	2419	2383	78	216	237	236	20
15-24	456	489	472	16	298	314	300	2	157	175	172	15
25-44	1288	1372	1359	71	1262	1347	1335	73	27	25	23	-4
45 +	777	795	788	11	745	758	748	3	32	37	41	9
45-54	428	445	440	12	423	439	433	10	5	6	6	1
55-64	294	292	288	-6	282	279	274	-8	12	12	14	2
65 +	54	59	60	6	40	40	39	-1	14	19	20	6
Females	1985	2123	2090	105	1444	1571	1529	85	541	552	561	20
15-24	437	456	435	-2	241	253	239	-2	195	203	196	1
25-44	1066	1128	1116	50	848	917	894	46	218	211	222	4
45 +	482	540	540	58	355	401	396	41	128	138	143	15
45-54	305	336	336	31	232	255	255	23	72	81	81	9
55-64	161	180	180	19	114	135	133	19	47	44	46	-1
65 +	16	24	25	9	8	11	9	1	8	13	16	8
Both Sexes	4506	4779	4709	203	3750	3990	3912	162	757	789	797	40
15-24	893	945	907	14	540	567	539	-1	353	378	368	15
25-44	2355	2499	2474	119	2110	2264	2229	119	245	236	245	0
45 +	1259	1335	1328	69	1100	1159	1144	44	159	175	184	25
45-54	733	781	775	42	656	694	688	32	77	87	87	10
55-64	455	471	468	13	396	414	408	12	59	57	60	1
65 +	70	82	84	14	48	51	48	0	22	32	36	14

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87- Jan. 88	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87- Jan. 88
Males	196	134	171	-25	7.2	4.8	6.1	-1.1
15-24	75	51	64	-11	14.1	9.4	11.9	-2.2
15-19	30	23	30	0	15.6	11.3	14.9	-0.7
20-24	44	28	34	-10	13.2	8.2	10.1	-3.1
25-44	85	60	78	-7	6.2	4.2	5.4	-0.8
25-34	60	39	49	-11	8.0	5.1	6.4	-1.6
35-44	26	21	29	3	4.1	3.2	4.3	0.2
45 +	35	23	29	-6	4.3	2.8	3.6	-0.7
45-54	17	9	14	-3	3.9	1.9	3.1	-0.8
55-64	17	14	14	-3	5.3	4.5	4.7	-0.6
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	165	117	150	-15	7.7	5.2	6.7	-1.0
15-24	50	32	46	-4	10.2	6.5	9.6	-0.6
15-19	21	10	19	-2	11.2	5.2	10.4	-0.8
20-24	29	22	27	-2	9.6	7.3	9.2	-0.4
25-44	80	63	76	-4	7.0	5.3	6.3	-0.7
25-34	48	38	45	-3	7.6	6.0	7.1	-0.5
35-44	32	25	31	-1	6.2	4.6	5.5	-0.7
45 +	35	22	29	-6	6.7	3.9	5.0	-1.7
45-54	19	13	16	-3	6	3.8	4.4	-1.6
55-64	15	8	11	-4	8.5	4.4	5.5	-3.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	360	251	321	-39	7.4	5.0	6.4	-1.0
15-24	125	82	110	-15	12.3	8.0	10.8	-1.5
15-19	51	32	49	-2	13.5	8.4	12.7	-0.8
20-24	74	50	61	-13	11.5	7.8	9.7	-1.8
25-44	166	124	154	-12	6.6	4.7	5.8	-0.8
25-34	108	78	94	-14	7.8	5.5	6.7	-1.1
35-44	58	46	59	1	5.0	3.8	4.8	-0.2
45 +	70	45	58	-12	5.3	3.2	4.2	-1.1
45-54	37	22	30	-7	4.8	2.8	3.7	-1.1
55-64	32	22	25	-7	6.5	4.4	5.0	-1.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87-Jan. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4506	4779	4709	203
Agriculture	107	110	105	-2
Other Primary	49	58	53	4
Manufacturing	993	1074	1030	37
Construction	226	273	248	22
Transportation	308	312	309	1
Trade	785	865	852	67
Finance	295	302	302	7
Service	1447	1525	1541	94
Public Administration	296	262	269	-27
Occupation	4506	4779	4709	203
Managerial	1322	1388	1403	81
Clerical	767	822	812	45
Sales	433	471	460	27
Service	598	576	580	-18
Primary	121	135	127	6
Processing	714	754	739	25
Construction	215	267	247	32
Transportation	152	164	154	2
Materials handling	184	201	187	3



6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87-Jan. 88	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87-Jan. 88
All Ages	360	251	321	-39	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	115	78	126	11	31.9	31.1	39.3	7.3
5 - 13 weeks	112	82	90	-22	31.1	32.7	28.0	-3.1
14 weeks and over	131	87	98	-33	36.4	34.7	30.5	-5.9
Average duration (weeks)	15.8	14.6	13.4	-2.4	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	125	82	110	-15	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	54	28	47	-7	43.2	34.1	42.7	-0.5
5 - 13 weeks	40	32	34	-6	32.0	39.0	30.9	-1.1
14 weeks and over	31	21	28	-3	24.8	25.6	25.5	0.7
Average duration (weeks)	10.7	10.7	10.3	-0.4	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	166	124	154	-12	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	47	39	57	10	28.3	31.5	37.0	8.7
5 - 13 weeks	51	41	45	-6	30.7	33.1	29.2	-1.5
14 weeks and over	66	43	47	-19	39.8	34.7	30.5	-9.2
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	14.3	13.8	-3.0	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	70	45	58	-12	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	14	11	22	8	20.0	24.4	37.9	17.9
5 - 13 weeks	21	9	12	-9	30.0	20.0	20.7	-9.3
14 weeks and over	34	23	23	-11	48.6	51.1	39.7	-8.9
Average duration (weeks)	22.4	22.3	18.4	-4.0	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87- Jan. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	51	32	49	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.5	8.4	12.7	-0.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	26	12	23	-3
5 - 13 weeks	13	14	16	3
14 weeks and over	11	7	10	-1
Average duration (weeks)	9.2	8.5	8.3	-0.9
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	22	13	17	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	20.0	12.1	16.5	-3.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	9	4	8	-1
5 - 13 weeks	8	6	6	-2
14 weeks and over	5	—	—	—
Average duration (weeks)	11.4	8.2	7.8	-3.6
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	74	50	61	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	7.8	9.7	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	27	16	23	-4
5 - 13 weeks	27	18	18	-9
14 weeks and over	20	15	18	-2
Average duration (weeks)	11.8	12.2	12.0	0.2
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	68	45	54	-14
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.1	8.1	9.9	-2.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	25	13	20	-5
5 - 13 weeks	25	16	16	-9
14 weeks and over	18	14	17	-1
Average duration (weeks)	12	12.9	12.6	0.6



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87- Jan. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	435	443	448	13
Employment	401	420	421	20
Unemployment	34	24	27	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	5.3	6.0	-1.9
Sudbury				
Labour Force	67	66	66	-1
Employment	58	57	58	0
Unemployment	8	9	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.6	13.1	12.2	-0.4
Oshawa				
Labour Force	93	100	100	7
Employment	86	96	96	10
Unemployment	7	4	4	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	4.1	3.9	-3.8
Toronto				
Labour Force	1825	1890	1883	58
Employment	1738	1817	1801	63
Unemployment	87	73	82	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	3.8	4.4	-0.4
Hamilton				
Labour Force	311	309	312	1
Employment	289	295	288	-1
Unemployment	22	14	24	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	4.5	7.6	0.4
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	149	154	151	2
Employment	129	140	135	6
Unemployment	20	14	16	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.5	9.0	10.6	-2.9
London				
Labour Force	160	168	168	8
Employment	149	161	160	11
Unemployment	12	7	9	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.2	3.9	5.2	-2.0
Windsor				
Labour Force	122	123	124	2
Employment	112	109	107	-5
Unemployment	10	14	17	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	11.3	14.0	5.5
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	167	175	175	8
Employment	156	170	165	9
Unemployment	11	5	10	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	2.9	5.5	-1.2
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	65	68	67	2
Employment	59	63	61	2
Unemployment	6	5	5	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	7.0	8.0	-1.6



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Jan. 1987	Dec. 1987	Jan. 1988	Change Jan. 87- Jan. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4866	5030	5030	164
Employment	4506	4779	4709	203
Unemployment	360	251	321	-39
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	5.0	6.4	-1.0
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	205	215	215	10
Employment	161	176	173	12
Unemployment	44	39	42	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	21.4	18.2	19.6	-1.8
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	56	60	59	3
Employment	46	51	48	2
Unemployment	10	9	11	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.8	15.6	18.3	0.5
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	383	405	397	14
Employment	322	362	343	21
Unemployment	60	43	54	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.8	10.6	13.5	-2.3
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	297	307	303	6
Employment	253	271	261	8
Unemployment	45	36	41	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.0	11.7	13.7	-1.3
Quebec				
Labour Force	3159	3280	3224	65
Employment	2789	2966	2911	122
Unemployment	370	314	314	-56
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.7	9.6	9.7	-2.0
Manitoba				
Labour Force	536	530	530	-6
Employment	488	491	484	-4
Unemployment	48	39	46	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	7.4	8.7	-0.3
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	480	487	486	6
Employment	440	451	442	2
Unemployment	41	36	43	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	7.4	9.0	0.5
Alberta				
Labour Force	1251	1265	1257	6
Employment	1107	1164	1138	31
Unemployment	144	102	120	-24
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	8.1	9.5	-2.0
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1441	1477	1479	38
Employment	1221	1321	1310	89
Unemployment	220	156	168	-52
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.3	10.5	11.4	-3.9
CANADA				
Labour Force	12675	13057	12980	305
Employment	11333	12031	11819	486
Unemployment	1342	1025	1161	-181
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.6	7.9	8.9	-1.7



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	January 1988	February 1988	Change	February 1987	January 1988	February 1988	Feb. 87- Feb. 88
ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7232	7358	7370	138
Males	-	-	-	3519	3585	3591	72
Females	-	-	-	3713	3774	3780	67
Labour Force	5115	5128	13	4897	5030	5061	164
Males	2840	2844	4	2728	2789	2797	69
Females	2275	2284	9	2168	2241	2265	97
Participation Rate (%)	69.5	69.6	0.1	67.7	68.4	68.7	1.0
Males	79.2	79.2	0.0	77.5	77.8	77.9	0.4
Females	60.3	60.4	0.1	58.4	59.4	59.9	1.5
Employment	4831	4867	36	4533	4709	4771	238
Males	2702	2711	9	2530	2618	2635	125
Females	2129	2156	27	2004	2090	2137	133
Unemployment	284	261	-23	363	321	290	-73
Males	138	133	-5	198	171	162	-36
Females	146	128	-18	165	150	128	-37
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.6	5.1	-0.5	7.4	6.4	5.7	-1.7
Males	4.9	4.7	-0.2	7.3	6.1	5.8	-1.5
Females	6.4	5.6	-0.8	7.6	6.7	5.6	-2.0
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19735	19968	19991	256
Males	-	-	-	9643	9759	9770	127
Females	-	-	-	10091	10209	10221	130
Labour Force	13320	13331	31	12761	12980	13066	325
Males	7510	7519	9	7220	7308	7333	113
Females	5790	5812	22	5541	5672	5733	192
Participation Rate (%)	66.6	66.7	0.1	64.7	65.0	65.4	0.7
Males	77.0	77.0	0.0	74.9	74.9	75.1	0.2
Females	56.7	56.9	0.2	54.9	55.6	56.1	1.2
Employment	12228	12285	57	11426	11819	11941	515
Males	6948	6963	15	6440	6661	6696	256
Females	5280	5322	42	4986	5159	5245	259
Unemployment	1072	1046	-26	1335	1161	1126	-209
Males	562	556	-6	780	647	638	-142
Females	510	490	-20	555	513	488	-67
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	7.8	-0.3	10.5	8.9	8.6	-1.9
Males	7.5	7.4	-0.1	10.8	8.9	8.7	-2.1
Females	8.8	8.4	-0.4	10.0	9.1	8.5	-1.5



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Feb. 87- Feb. 88	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Feb. 87- Feb. 88	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Feb. 87- Feb. 88
Males	3519	3585	3591	2.0	77.5	77.8	77.9	0.5	2728	2789	2797	2.5
15-24	750	751	749	-1.4	71.4	71.4	71.0	-0.6	543	536	532	-2.0
15-19	349	348	348	-0.3	56.7	57.6	57.0	0.5	198	221	198	0.0
20-24	412	403	401	-2.7	83.8	83.2	83.1	-0.8	345	335	334	-3.2
25-44	1446	1494	1499	3.7	94.8	95.1	95.1	1.4	1371	1436	1441	5.1
25-34	784	812	815	4.0	94.3	95.5	95.9	1.7	739	776	781	5.7
35-44	662	683	685	3.5	95.4	95.8	96.3	0.9	632	661	660	4.4
45 +	1313	1339	1342	2.2	62.1	61.0	61.4	-1.1	815	817	824	1.1
45-54	477	486	487	2.1	93.1	93.3	93.0	-0.1	444	454	453	2.0
55-64	430	434	434	0.9	73.0	69.7	71.1	-2.6	314	323	329	-1.6
65 +	406	419	420	3.4	13.9	14.4	14.7	5.8	56	60	62	10.7
Females	3713	3774	3780	1.8	58.4	59.4	59.9	2.6	2168	2241	2265	4.5
15-24	734	722	720	-1.9	67.8	66.7	67.2	-0.9	498	481	484	-2.8
15-19	332	331	331	-0.3	56.0	56.7	58.3	4.1	185	188	193	3.8
20-24	401	391	389	-3.0	77.6	75.1	74.8	-3.6	312	294	291	-6.7
25-44	1490	1534	1539	3.3	77.2	77.6	78.2	1.3	1190	1191	1203	4.6
25-34	812	834	836	3.0	77.4	76.0	76.7	-0.9	629	634	641	1.9
35-44	678	700	703	3.7	76.9	79.6	80.0	4.0	521	557	562	7.9
45 +	1490	1517	1520	2.0	35.0	37.5	38.0	3.6	521	568	577	10.7
45-54	481	490	492	2.3	67.9	71.6	72.0	6.0	326	351	354	8.6
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	38.5	41.2	42.7	10.9	177	190	197	11.3
65 +	549	566	568	3.5	3.1	4.8	4.6	48.4	17	27	26	52.9
Both Sexes	7232	7358	7370	1.9	67.7	68.4	68.7	1.5	4897	5030	5061	3.3
15-24	1494	1473	1470	-1.6	69.6	69.1	69.1	-0.7	1040	1017	1016	-2.3
15-19	681	679	679	-0.3	56.4	57.2	57.6	2.1	384	368	391	1.8
20-24	813	794	791	-2.7	80.7	79.2	79.0	-2.1	656	629	625	-4.7
25-44	2935	3029	3039	3.5	85.9	85.8	87.0	1.3	2521	2628	2644	4.9
25-34	1596	1646	1651	3.4	85.7	85.6	86.2	0.6	1368	1410	1423	4.0
35-44	1340	1383	1387	3.5	86.0	88.1	88.1	2.4	1153	1218	1222	6.0
45 +	2803	2857	2862	2.1	47.7	48.5	48.9	2.5	1336	1385	1401	4.9
45-54	958	977	979	2.2	82.5	82.4	82.4	2.4	771	825	807	4.7
55-64	890	895	896	0.7	55.2	55.1	56.5	2.4	491	493	506	3.1
65 +	954	985	987	3.5	7.7	8.9	8.9	15.6	74	87	88	18.9



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change
				Feb. 87- Feb. 88				Feb. 87- Feb. 88				Feb. 87- Feb. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2530	2618	2635	105	2304	2383	2388	84	226	236	247	21
15-24	468	472	475	7	302	300	296	-6	166	172	179	13
25-44	1283	1359	1370	87	1257	1335	1341	84	26	23	29	3
45 +	779	788	789	10	745	748	751	6	34	41	39	5
45-54	424	440	438	14	417	433	433	16	7	6	6	-1
55-64	300	288	292	-8	289	274	277	-12	11	14	15	4
65 +	55	60	59	4	40	39	41	1	15	20	18	3
Females	2004	2090	2137	133	1458	1529	1553	95	545	561	584	39
15-24	445	435	444	-1	249	239	241	-8	196	196	204	8
25-44	1076	1116	1139	63	848	894	907	59	229	222	232	3
45 +	483	540	553	70	361	396	405	44	120	143	148	28
45-54	302	336	338	36	232	255	254	22	70	81	84	14
55-64	164	180	190	26	121	133	141	20	43	46	49	6
65 +	17	25	26	9	8	9	11	3	9	16	15	6
Both Sexes	4533	4709	4771	238	3762	3912	3940	178	771	797	831	60
15-24	913	907	919	6	551	539	537	-14	362	368	382	20
25-44	2359	2474	2509	150	2104	2229	2248	144	255	245	261	6
45 +	1261	1328	1343	82	1107	1144	1155	48	154	184	188	34
45-54	726	775	776	50	649	688	687	38	77	87	89	12
55-64	464	468	482	18	410	408	417	7	54	60	65	11
65 +	72	84	85	13	48	48	52	4	24	36	33	9

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
				Change Feb. 87- Feb. 88				Change Feb. 87- Feb. 88
	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988		Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	
Males	198	171	162	-36	7.3	6.1	5.8	-1.5
15-24	74	64	57	-17	13.7	11.9	10.7	-3.0
15-19	26	30	28	2	13.3	14.9	14.0	0.7
20-24	48	34	29	-19	13.9	10.1	8.7	-5.2
25-44	88	78	71	-17	6.4	5.4	4.9	-1.5
25-34	59	49	46	-13	8.0	6.4	5.9	-2.1
35-44	29	29	25	-4	4.5	4.3	3.8	-0.7
45 +	36	29	34	-2	4.4	3.6	4.1	-0.3
45-54	21	14	15	-6	4.7	3.1	3.3	-1.4
55-64	14	14	17	3	4.4	4.7	5.4	1.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	165	150	128	-37	7.6	6.7	5.6	-2.0
15-24	53	46	40	-13	10.7	9.6	8.2	-2.5
15-19	26	19	22	-4	13.7	10.4	11.3	-2.4
20-24	27	27	18	-9	8.8	9.2	6.2	-2.6
25-44	74	76	64	-10	6.4	6.3	5.3	-1.1
25-34	42	45	40	-2	6.6	7.1	6.3	-0.3
35-44	32	31	24	-8	6.1	5.5	4.3	-1.8
45 +	38	29	24	-14	7.3	5.0	4.1	-3.2
45-54	25	16	16	-9	7.5	4.4	4.6	-2.9
55-64	13	11	7	-6	7.5	5.5	3.6	-3.9
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	363	321	290	-73	7.4	6.4	5.7	-1.7
15-24	127	110	97	-30	12.2	10.8	9.5	-2.7
15-19	52	49	49	-3	13.5	12.7	12.7	-0.8
20-24	75	61	47	-28	11.5	9.7	7.6	-3.9
25-44	162	154	135	-27	6.4	5.8	5.1	-1.3
25-34	101	94	86	-15	7.4	6.7	6.1	-1.3
35-44	60	59	49	-11	5.2	4.8	4.0	-1.2
45 +	74	58	58	-16	5.6	4.2	4.1	-1.5
45-54	45	30	31	-14	5.9	3.7	3.9	-2.0
55-64	27	25	24	-3	5.5	5.0	4.7	-0.8
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change Feb. 87-Feb. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4533	4709	4771	238
Agriculture	111	105	106	-5
Other Primary	49	53	53	4
Manufacturing	997	1030	1014	17
Construction	220	248	252	32
Transportation	300	309	316	16
Trade	809	852	869	60
Finance	286	302	317	31
Service	1469	1541	1555	86
Public Administration	292	269	290	-2
Occupation	4533	4709	4771	238
Managerial	1339	1403	1418	79
Clerical	783	812	842	59
Sales	449	460	462	13
Service	594	580	589	-5
Primary	125	127	129	4
Processing	686	739	739	53
Construction	211	247	246	35
Transportation	154	154	161	-3
Materials Handling	184	187	186	2



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change Feb. 87-Feb. 88	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change Feb. 87-Feb. 88
All Ages	363	321	290	-73	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	102	126	96	-6	28.1	39.3	33.1	5.0
5 - 13 weeks	118	90	97	-21	32.5	28.0	33.4	0.9
14 weeks and over	139	98	90	-49	38.3	30.5	31.0	-7.3
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	13.4	13.8	-3.0	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	127	110	97	-30	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	42	47	36	-6	33.1	42.7	37.1	4.0
5 - 13 weeks	46	34	33	-13	36.2	30.9	34.0	-2.2
14 weeks and over	37	28	25	-12	29.1	25.5	25.8	-3.4
Average duration (weeks)	12.3	10.3	10.1	-2.2	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	162	154	135	-27	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	43	57	44	1	26.5	37.0	32.6	6.0
5 - 13 weeks	49	45	48	-1	30.2	29.2	35.6	5.3
14 weeks and over	67	47	40	-27	41.4	30.5	29.6	-11.7
Average duration (weeks)	18.3	13.8	13.8	-4.5	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	74	58	58	-16	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	17	22	16	-1	23.0	37.9	27.6	4.6
5 - 13 weeks	22	12	16	-6	29.7	20.7	27.6	-2.1
14 weeks and over	35	23	24	-11	47.3	39.7	41.4	-5.9
Average duration (weeks)	21.5	18.4	20.2	-1.3	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change Feb. 87- Feb. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	52	49	49	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.5	12.7	12.7	-0.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	23	21	-1
5 - 13 weeks	17	16	18	1
14 weeks and over	13	10	10	-3
Average duration (weeks)	12.2	8.3	8.1	-1.9
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	21	17	18	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.9	15.5	13.4	2.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	8	8	8	0
5 - 13 weeks	7	6	6	-1
14 weeks and over	6	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	11.0	7.8	7.7	-3.3
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	75	61	47	-28
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	9.7	7.6	-3.9
Duration				
4 weeks or less	20	23	15	-5
5 - 13 weeks	29	18	15	-14
14 weeks and over	24	18	15	-9
Average duration (weeks)	13.9	12.0	12.3	-1.6
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	73	54	46	-27
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.8	9.9	8.6	-4.1
Duration				
4 weeks or less	20	20	14	-6
5 - 13 weeks	29	16	15	-14
14 weeks and over	22	17	15	-7
Average duration (weeks)	13.7	12.6	12.4	-1.3



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change Feb. 87- Feb. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	443	448	447	4
Employment	401	421	423	22
Unemployment	42	27	24	-18
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	6.0	5.5	-3.9
Sudbury				
Labour Force	66	66	68	2
Employment	59	58	61	2
Unemployment	7	8	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	12.2	10.9	0.2
Oshawa				
Labour Force	95	100	100	5
Employment	87	96	95	8
Unemployment	8	4	4	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.7	3.9	4.4	-4.3
Toronto				
Labour Force	1847	1883	1895	48
Employment	1761	1801	1822	61
Unemployment	86	82	73	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.7	4.4	3.9	-0.8
Hamilton				
Labour Force	310	312	320	10
Employment	285	288	299	14
Unemployment	26	24	21	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	7.6	6.5	-1.7
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	149	151	154	5
Employment	130	135	140	10
Unemployment	19	16	14	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.8	10.6	9.2	-3.6
London				
Labour Force	158	168	169	11
Employment	148	160	162	14
Unemployment	10	9	7	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	5.2	4.2	-2.3
Windsor				
Labour Force	127	124	123	-4
Employment	114	107	110	-4
Unemployment	13	17	13	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.3	14.0	10.9	0.6
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	168	175	174	6
Employment	156	165	167	11
Unemployment	12	10	7	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	7	5.5	4.0	-3.0
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	63	67	65	2
Employment	57	61	60	3
Unemployment	6	5	5	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	8.0	8.1	-1.8



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Feb. 1987	Jan. 1988	Feb. 1988	Change Feb. 87- Feb. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4897	5030	5061	164
Employment	4533	4709	4771	238
Unemployment	363	321	290	-73
Unemployment Rate (%)	7	6.4	5.7	-1.7
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	207	215	216	9
Employment	166	173	175	9
Unemployment	41	42	41	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	20	19.6	19.1	-0.8
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	56	59	59	3
Employment	46	48	49	3
Unemployment	10	11	10	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	17.3	18.3	16.9	-0.4
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	383	397	398	15
Employment	321	343	349	28
Unemployment	62	54	49	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	16	13.5	12.4	-3.7
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	296	303	301	5
Employment	254	261	264	10
Unemployment	42	41	37	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	14	13.7	12.4	-1.8
Quebec				
Labour Force	3205	3224	3246	41
Employment	2822	2911	2926	104
Unemployment	383	314	320	-63
Unemployment Rate (%)	12	9.7	9.8	-2.1
Manitoba				
Labour Force	526	530	532	6
Employment	486	484	486	0
Unemployment	40	46	46	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8	8.7	8.6	1.0
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	485	486	486	1
Employment	445	442	445	0
Unemployment	40	43	41	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	9.0	8.5	0.3
Alberta				
Labour Force	1253	1257	1270	17
Employment	1108	1138	1156	48
Unemployment	145	120	113	-32
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	9.5	8.9	-2.7
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1454	1479	1498	44
Employment	1245	1310	1320	75
Unemployment	210	168	178	-32
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.4	11.4	11.9	-2.5
CANADA				
Labour Force	12761	12980	13066	305
Employment	11426	11819	11941	515
Unemployment	1335	1161	1126	-209
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	8.9	8.6	-1.9



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**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	February	March	Change	March	February	March	Change
	1988	1988		1987	1988	1988	Mar. 87- Mar. 88
ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7240	7370	7378	138
Males	-	-	-	3523	3591	3595	72
Females	-	-	-	3717	3780	3784	67
Labour Force	5128	5138	10	4919	5061	5063	164
Males	2844	2839	-5	2744	2797	2803	59
Females	2284	2299	15	2175	2265	2281	106
Participation Rate (%)	69.6	69.6	0.0	67.9	68.7	68.9	1.0
Males	79.2	79.0	-0.2	77.9	77.9	78.0	0.1
Females	60.4	60.8	0.4	58.5	59.9	60.3	1.8
Employment	4867	4884	17	4535	4771	4787	252
Males	2711	2715	4	2539	2635	2644	105
Females	2156	2169	13	1996	2137	2143	147
Unemployment	261	254	-7	383	290	297	-86
Males	133	124	-9	204	162	159	-45
Females	128	130	2	179	128	137	-42
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.1	4.9	-0.2	7.8	5.7	5.8	-2.0
Males	4.7	4.4	-0.3	7.4	5.8	5.7	-1.7
Females	5.6	5.7	0.1	8.2	5.6	6.0	-2.2
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19751	19991	20008	257
Males	-	-	-	9651	9770	9778	127
Females	-	-	-	10100	10221	10230	130
Labour Force	13331	13336	5	12906	13066	13183	277
Males	7519	7520	1	7288	7333	7389	101
Females	5812	5816	4	5617	5733	5794	177
Participation Rate (%)	66.7	66.7	0.0	65.3	65.4	65.9	0.6
Males	77.0	76.9	-0.1	75.5	75.1	75.6	0.1
Females	56.9	56.9	0.0	55.6	56.1	56.6	1.0
Employment	12285	12300	15	11508	11941	12002	494
Males	6963	6972	9	6480	6696	6726	246
Females	5322	5328	6	5028	5245	5276	248
Unemployment	1046	1036	-10	1397	1126	1181	-216
Males	556	548	-8	808	638	663	-145
Females	490	488	-2	589	488	518	-71
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.8	0.0	10.8	8.6	9.0	-1.8
Males	7.4	7.3	-0.1	11.1	8.7	9.0	-2.1
Females	8.4	8.4	0.0	10.5	8.5	8.9	-1.6



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	% Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	% Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	% Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88
Males	3523	3591	3595	2.0	77.9	77.9	78.0	0.1	2744	2797	2803	2.2
15-24	759	749	748	-1.4	73.1	71.0	71.8	-1.8	555	532	537	-3.2
15-19	348	348	348	0.0	59.7	57.0	60.2	0.8	208	198	210	1.0
20-24	411	401	400	-2.7	84.5	83.1	81.9	-3.1	347	334	328	-5.5
25-44	1449	1499	1503	3.7	95.5	96.1	95.9	0.4	1384	1441	1441	4.1
25-34	786	815	817	3.9	94.9	95.9	95.4	0.5	746	781	779	4.4
35-44	664	685	686	3.3	96.2	96.3	96.5	0.3	638	660	662	3.8
45 +	1315	1342	1344	2.2	61.2	61.4	61.3	0.2	804	824	824	2.5
45-54	478	487	488	2.1	93.8	93.0	93.6	-0.2	448	453	457	2.0
55-64	430	434	435	1.2	72.3	71.1	71.3	-1.4	311	309	310	-0.3
65 +	406	420	421	3.7	11.1	14.7	13.6	22.5	45	62	57	26.7
Females	3717	3780	3784	1.8	58.5	59.9	60.3	3.1	2175	2265	2281	4.9
15-24	733	720	719	-1.9	67.4	67.2	67.8	0.6	494	484	487	-1.4
15-19	332	331	331	-0.3	57.3	58.3	59.0	3.0	190	193	195	2.6
20-24	401	389	388	-3.2	75.7	74.8	75.2	-0.7	303	291	292	-3.6
25-44	1493	1539	1542	3.3	77.1	78.2	79.1	2.6	1151	1203	1219	5.9
25-34	814	836	838	2.9	76.8	76.7	77.8	1.3	625	641	652	4.3
35-44	680	703	705	3.7	77.5	80.0	80.6	4.0	527	562	568	7.8
45 +	1491	1520	1522	2.1	35.6	38.0	37.7	5.9	530	577	574	8.3
45-54	481	492	493	2.5	69.1	72.0	72.1	4.3	333	354	355	6.6
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	38.7	42.7	41.6	7.5	178	197	192	7.9
65 +	550	568	569	3.5	3.5	4.6	4.8	37.1	19	26	27	42.1
Both Sexes	7240	7370	7378	1.9	67.9	68.7	68.9	1.5	4919	5061	5083	3.3
15-24	1492	1470	1467	-1.7	70.3	69.1	69.8	-0.7	1049	1016	1024	-2.4
15-19	680	679	679	-0.1	58.6	57.6	59.6	1.7	399	391	405	1.5
20-24	812	791	788	-3.0	80.1	79.0	78.6	-1.9	650	625	620	-4.6
25-44	2943	3039	3045	3.5	86.2	87.0	87.4	1.4	2535	2644	2661	5.0
25-34	1599	1651	1655	3.5	85.7	86.2	86.5	0.9	1370	1423	1431	4.5
35-44	1343	1387	1391	3.6	86.7	88.1	88.4	2.0	1165	1222	1230	5.6
45 +	2806	2862	2866	2.1	47.6	48.9	48.8	2.5	1334	1401	1398	4.8
45-54	959	979	981	2.3	81.4	82.4	82.8	1.7	781	807	812	4.0
55-64	890	896	896	0.7	54.9	56.5	56.0	2.0	489	506	502	2.7
65 +	956	987	989	3.5	6.8	8.9	8.5	25.0	65	88	84	29.2



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2539	2635	2644	105	2316	2388	2394	78	223	247	250	27
15-24	475	475	481	6	308	296	293	-15	167	179	188	21
25-44	1301	1370	1371	70	1276	1341	1345	69	25	29	26	1
45 +	763	789	791	28	732	751	756	24	31	39	36	5
45-54	426	438	444	18	419	433	440	21	7	6	4	-3
55-64	292	292	292	0	280	277	279	-1	12	15	14	2
65 +	45	59	55	10	34	41	37	3	11	18	18	7
Females	1996	2137	2143	147	1460	1553	1566	106	536	584	577	41
15-24	441	444	442	1	253	241	240	-13	187	204	203	16
25-44	1072	1139	1150	78	855	907	918	63	217	232	232	15
45 +	484	553	551	67	352	405	408	56	132	148	142	10
45-54	303	338	343	40	227	254	264	37	76	84	79	3
55-64	163	190	182	19	116	141	133	17	47	49	50	3
65 +	18	26	26	8	9	11	12	3	9	15	14	5
Both Sexes	4535	4771	4787	252	3777	3940	3960	183	759	831	827	68
15-24	916	919	924	8	561	537	532	-29	355	382	391	36
25-44	2373	2509	2521	148	2131	2248	2263	132	242	261	258	16
45 +	1247	1343	1342	95	1085	1155	1165	80	162	188	178	16
45-54	729	776	787	58	646	687	704	58	83	89	83	0
55-64	454	482	475	21	396	417	411	15	58	65	63	5
65 +	63	85	81	18	42	52	49	7	21	33	32	11

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88
Males	204	162	159	-45	7.4	5.8	5.7	-1.7
15-24	80	57	56	-24	14.4	10.7	10.4	-4.0
15-19	38	28	28	-10	18.3	14.0	13.6	-4.7
20-24	42	29	28	-14	12.1	8.7	8.4	-3.7
25-44	83	71	70	-13	6.0	4.9	4.9	-1.1
25-34	56	46	45	-11	7.5	5.9	5.8	-1.7
35-44	27	25	25	-2	4.2	3.8	3.8	-0.4
45 +	41	34	33	-8	5.1	4.1	4.0	-1.1
45-54	22	15	14	-8	4.9	3.3	3.0	-1.9
55-64	19	17	18	-1	6.1	5.4	5.7	-0.4
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	179	128	137	-42	8.2	5.6	6.0	-2.2
15-24	53	40	45	-8	10.7	8.2	9.2	-1.5
15-19	29	22	21	-8	15.2	11.3	10.9	-4.3
20-24	24	18	24	0	7.9	6.2	8.1	0.2
25-44	79	64	70	-9	6.9	5.3	5.7	-1.2
25-34	43	40	39	-4	7	6.3	6.0	-1.0
35-44	36	24	31	-5	6.8	4.3	5.4	-1.4
45 +	47	24	23	-24	8.8	4.1	4.0	-4.8
45-54	30	16	12	-18	9	4.6	3.4	-5.6
55-64	15	7	9	-6	8.6	3.6	4.9	-3.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	383	290	297	-86	7.8	5.7	5.8	-2.0
15-24	133	97	101	-32	12.7	9.5	9.8	-2.9
15-19	67	49	50	-17	16.8	12.7	12.3	-4.5
20-24	66	47	51	-15	10.2	7.6	8.3	-1.9
25-44	163	135	140	-23	6.4	5.1	5.3	-1.1
25-34	100	86	84	-16	7.3	6.1	5.8	-1.5
35-44	63	49	56	-7	5.4	4.0	4.6	-0.8
45 +	88	58	56	-32	6.6	4.1	4.0	-2.6
45-54	52	31	26	-26	6.6	3.9	3.1	-3.5
55-64	34	24	27	-7	7.0	4.7	5.4	-1.6
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4535	4771	4787	252
Agriculture	110	106	114	4
Other Primary	47	53	51	4
Manufacturing	1009	1014	1024	15
Construction	235	252	255	20
Transportation	305	316	309	4
Trade	800	869	862	62
Finance	283	317	329	46
Service	1457	1555	1542	85
Public Administration	290	290	302	12
Occupation	4535	4771	4787	252
Managerial	1331	1410	1428	97
Clerical	787	842	840	61
Sales	432	462	475	43
Service	588	589	596	8
Primary	124	129	138	14
Processing	698	739	726	28
Construction	222	246	234	12
Transportation	166	161	157	-9
Materials Handling	188	186	186	-2



## 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87-Mar. 88	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87-Mar. 88
All Ages	383	290	297	-86	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	91	96	110	19	23.8	33.1	37.0	13.3
5 - 13 weeks	125	97	92	-33	32.6	33.4	31.0	-1.7
14 weeks and over	160	90	86	-74	41.8	31.0	29.0	-12.8
Average duration (weeks)	18.6	13.8	13.2	-5.4	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	133	97	101	-32	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	41	36	45	4	30.8	37.1	44.6	13.7
5 - 13 weeks	53	33	35	-18	39.8	34.0	34.7	-5.2
14 weeks and over	38	25	19	-19	20.6	25.8	18.8	-9.8
Average duration (weeks)	13.3	10.1	9.2	-4.1	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	163	135	140	-23	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	36	44	51	15	22.1	32.6	36.4	14.3
5 - 13 weeks	46	48	45	-1	28.2	35.6	32.1	3.9
14 weeks and over	78	40	40	-38	47.9	29.6	28.6	-19.3
Average duration (weeks)	19.9	13.8	12.8	-7.1	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	88	58	56	-32	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	14	16	14	0	15.9	27.6	25.0	9.1
5 - 13 weeks	27	16	12	-15	30.7	27.6	21.4	-9.3
14 weeks and over	44	24	27	-17	50.0	41.4	48.2	-1.8
Average duration (weeks)	24.5	20.2	22.0	-2.5	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87-Mar. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	67	49	50	-17
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.8	12.7	12.3	-4.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	25	21	26	1
5 - 13 weeks	28	18	18	-10
14 weeks and over	13	10	5	-8
Average duration (weeks)	9.9	8.1	6.9	-3.0
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	25	18	20	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.9	18.4	18.5	-0.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	8	8	8	0
5 - 13 weeks	11	6	9	-2
14 weeks and over	6	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	11.7	7.7	8.3	-3.4
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	66	47	51	-15
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.2	7.6	8.3	-1.9
Duration				
4 weeks or less	15	15	19	4
5 - 13 weeks	25	15	17	-8
14 weeks and over	25	15	14	-11
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	12.3	11.5	-5.3
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	63	46	50	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.1	8.6	9.3	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	14	14	19	5
5 - 13 weeks	25	15	16	-9
14 weeks and over	23	15	14	-9
Average duration (weeks)	16.6	12.4	11.5	-5.1



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	447	447	457	10
Employment	402	423	432	30
Unemployment	45	24	24	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	5.5	5.3	-4.7
Sudbury				
Labour Force	67	68	69	2
Employment	60	61	60	0
Unemployment	8	7	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	10.9	11.9	0.4
Oshawa				
Labour Force	94	100	100	6
Employment	85	95	95	10
Unemployment	9	4	5	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	4.4	4.7	-5.2
Toronto				
Labour Force	1847	1895	1879	32
Employment	1754	1822	1805	51
Unemployment	93	73	74	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	5	3.9	3.9	-1.1
Hamilton				
Labour Force	316	320	320	4
Employment	289	299	296	7
Unemployment	27	21	24	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	6.5	7.5	-1.0
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	153	154	156	5
Employment	132	140	144	12
Unemployment	22	14	14	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.1	9.2	8.7	-5.4
London				
Labour Force	161	169	168	7
Employment	148	162	162	14
Unemployment	13	7	7	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8	4.2	4.0	-4.0
Windsor				
Labour Force	128	123	127	-1
Employment	115	110	115	0
Unemployment	13	13	11	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	10.9	9.0	-0.9
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	166	174	183	17
Employment	153	167	171	18
Unemployment	13	7	12	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	4.0	6.5	-1.1
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	67	65	68	1
Employment	60	60	62	2
Unemployment	7	5	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.8	8.1	8.4	-1.4



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	March 1987	Feb. 1988	March 1988	Change Mar. 87- Mar. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4919	5061	5083	164
Employment	4535	4771	4787	252
Unemployment	383	290	297	-86
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	5.7	5.8	-2.0
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	218	216	227	9
Employment	165	175	177	12
Unemployment	53	41	50	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	24.4	19.1	21.9	-2.5
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	57	59	60	3
Employment	47	49	49	2
Unemployment	10	10	11	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.2	16.9	18.7	0.5
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	391	398	402	11
Employment	325	349	352	27
Unemployment	65	49	50	-15
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.7	12.4	12.4	-4.3
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	307	301	312	5
Employment	257	264	262	5
Unemployment	50	37	50	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.2	12.4	16.1	-0.1
Quebec				
Labour Force	3250	3246	3290	40
Employment	2858	2926	2937	79
Unemployment	391	320	353	-38
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.0	9.8	10.7	-1.3
Manitoba				
Labour Force	534	532	535	1
Employment	486	486	487	1
Unemployment	48	46	48	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	8.6	9.0	0.0
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	484	486	486	2
Employment	442	445	441	-1
Unemployment	41	41	45	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.6	8.5	9.2	0.6
Alberta				
Labour Force	1267	1270	1282	15
Employment	1126	1156	1170	44
Unemployment	141	113	113	-28
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.1	8.9	8.8	-2.3
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1479	1498	1506	27
Employment	1266	1320	1341	75
Unemployment	213	178	165	-48
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.4	11.9	11.0	-3.4
CANADA				
Labour Force	12906	13066	13183	277
Employment	11508	11941	12002	494
Unemployment	1397	1126	1181	-216
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	8.6	9.0	-1.8



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1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	March	April	Change	April	March	April	Apr. 87- Apr. 88
	1988	1988		1987	1988	1988	
ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7249	7378	7387	138
Males	-	-	-	3528	3595	3599	71
Females	-	-	-	3721	3784	3788	67
Labour Force	5138	5143	5	4914	5083	5088	174
Males	2839	2838	-1	2745	2803	2802	57
Females	2299	2305	6	2168	2281	2286	118
Participation Rate (%)	69.6	69.6	0.0	67.8	68.9	68.9	1.1
Males	79.0	78.9	-0.1	77.8	78.0	77.9	0.1
Females	60.8	60.9	0.1	58.3	60.3	60.4	2.1
Employment	4884	4895	11	4587	4787	4834	247
Males	2715	2712	-3	2575	2644	2667	92
Females	2169	2183	14	2012	2143	2166	154
Unemployment	254	248	-6	327	297	255	-72
Males	124	126	2	170	159	135	-35
Females	130	122	-8	157	137	120	-37
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	4.8	-0.1	6.7	5.8	5.0	-1.7
Males	4.4	4.4	0.0	6.2	5.7	4.8	-1.4
Females	5.7	5.3	-0.4	7.2	6.0	5.2	-2.0
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19769	20008	20027	258
Males	-	-	-	9659	9778	9788	129
Females	-	-	-	10109	10230	10239	130
Labour Force	13336	13320	-16	12913	13183	13166	253
Males	7520	7494	-26	7309	7389	7385	76
Females	5816	5826	10	5604	5794	5781	177
Participation Rate (%)	66.7	66.5	-0.2	65.3	65.9	65.7	0.4
Males	76.9	76.6	-0.3	75.7	75.6	75.5	-0.2
Females	56.9	56.9	0.0	55.4	56.6	56.5	1.1
Employment	12300	12295	-5	11641	12002	12080	439
Males	6972	6947	-25	6585	6726	6775	190
Females	5328	5348	20	5057	5276	5305	248
Unemployment	1036	1025	-11	1271	1181	1085	-186
Males	548	547	-1	724	663	609	-115
Females	488	478	-10	547	518	476	-71
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.7	-0.1	9.8	9.0	8.2	-1.6
Males	7.3	7.3	0.0	9.9	9.0	8.3	-1.6
Females	8.4	8.2	-0.2	9.8	8.9	8.2	-1.6



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	% Change Apr. 87-Apr. 88	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	% Change Apr. 87-Apr. 88	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	% Change Apr. 87-Apr. 88
Males	3528	3595	3599	2.0	77.8	78.0	77.9	0.1	2745	2803	2802	2.1
15-24	758	748	747	-1.5	71.9	71.8	71.6	-0.4	545	537	535	-1.8
15-19	346	346	348	0.0	58.1	60.2	59.4	2.2	202	210	207	2.5
20-24	410	402	399	-2.7	83.5	81.9	82.2	-1.6	343	328	328	-4.4
25-44	1453	1503	1507	3.7	95.7	95.9	96.0	0.3	1390	1441	1445	4.0
25-34	788	817	819	3.9	95.3	95.4	95.6	0.3	751	779	783	4.3
35-44	665	686	688	3.5	96.1	96.5	96.5	0.4	639	662	664	3.9
45 +	1318	1344	1346	2.1	61.5	61.3	61.0	-0.8	810	824	821	1.4
45-54	478	488	489	2.3	93.7	93.6	94.2	0.5	448	457	461	2.5
55-64	431	435	435	0.9	72.2	71.3	70.9	-1.8	311	310	308	-1.0
65 +	407	421	422	3.7	12.5	13.6	12.3	-1.6	51	57	52	2.0
Females	3721	3784	3788	1.6	58.3	60.3	60.4	3.6	2168	2281	2266	5.4
15-24	732	719	717	-2.0	65.9	67.8	68.0	3.2	482	487	488	1.2
15-19	332	331	330	-0.6	54.4	59.0	58.8	8.1	180	195	194	7.8
20-24	400	388	387	-3.3	75.5	75.2	75.8	0.4	302	292	293	-3.0
25-44	1497	1542	1546	3.3	77.0	79.1	79.2	2.9	1152	1219	1223	6.2
25-34	815	838	839	2.9	76.9	77.8	77.2	0.4	627	652	648	3.3
35-44	681	705	706	3.7	77.1	80.6	81.5	5.7	526	568	575	9.3
45 +	1493	1522	1525	2.1	35.7	37.7	37.7	5.6	534	574	575	7.7
45-54	482	493	494	2.5	68.7	72.1	73.0	6.3	331	355	361	9.1
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	40.1	41.6	41.0	2.2	185	192	189	2.2
65 +	551	569	570	3.4	3.2	4.8	4.4	37.5	18	27	25	38.5
Both Sexes	7249	7378	7387	1.9	67.8	68.9	68.9	1.6	4914	5083	5088	3.5
15-24	1490	1467	1464	-1.7	68.9	69.8	69.8	1.3	1027	1024	1022	-0.5
15-19	680	679	678	-0.3	56.3	59.6	59.1	5.0	383	405	401	4.7
20-24	810	788	785	-3.1	79.6	78.6	79.1	-0.6	645	620	621	-3.7
25-44	2950	3045	3052	3.5	86.2	87.4	87.5	1.5	2543	2661	2670	5.0
25-34	1603	1655	1658	3.4	85.9	86.5	86.3	0.5	1378	1431	1431	3.8
35-44	1347	1391	1394	3.5	86.5	88.4	88.9	2.8	1165	1230	1239	6.4
45 +	2809	2866	2871	2.2	47.8	48.8	48.6	1.7	1344	1398	1396	3.9
45-54	960	981	983	2.4	81.1	82.8	83.6	3.1	779	812	821	5.4
55-64	891	896	896	0.6	55.6	56.0	55.5	-0.2	495	502	497	0.4
65 +	958	989	992	3.5	7.2	8.5	7.8	8.3	69	84	77	11.6



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
			Change				Change				Change	
	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Apr. 87- Apr. 88	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Apr. 87- Apr. 88	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Apr. 87- Apr. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2575	2644	2667	92	2354	2394	2432	78	222	250	235	13
15-24	482	481	483	1	317	293	303	-14	165	188	175	14
25-44	1319	1371	1391	72	1297	1345	1368	71	22	26	23	1
45 +	775	791	793	18	740	756	761	21	35	36	33	-2
45-54	431	444	448	17	425	440	445	20	6	4	--	--
55-64	294	292	295	1	281	279	279	-2	13	14	16	3
65 +	50	55	50	0	34	37	36	2	16	18	14	-2
Females	2012	2143	2166	154	1471	1566	1577	106	541	577	589	48
15-24	439	442	449	10	249	240	250	1	190	203	200	10
25-44	1077	1150	1164	87	853	918	929	76	224	232	235	11
45 +	496	551	554	58	369	408	398	29	127	142	154	27
45-54	308	343	346	38	236	264	256	20	72	79	90	18
55-64	171	182	182	11	124	133	132	8	47	50	50	3
65 +	17	26	25	8	8	12	10	2	8	14	15	7
Both Sexes	4587	4787	4834	247	3824	3960	4009	185	762	827	825	63
15-24	922	924	932	10	566	532	553	-13	355	391	379	24
25-44	2395	2521	2555	160	2150	2263	2297	147	245	258	258	13
45 +	1270	1342	1347	77	1108	1165	1159	51	162	178	188	26
45-54	739	787	795	56	661	704	701	40	78	83	94	16
55-64	465	475	478	13	405	411	411	6	60	63	66	6
65 +	66	81	75	9	42	49	46	4	24	32	28	4

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87- Apr. 88	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87- Apr. 88
Males	170	159	135	-35	6.2	5.7	4.8	-1.4
15-24	63	56	52	-11	11.6	10.4	9.7	-1.9
15-19	28	28	26	-2	13.7	13.6	12.3	-1.4
20-24	35	28	27	-8	10.3	8.4	8.1	-2.2
25-44	72	70	55	-17	5.1	4.9	3.8	-1.3
25-34	48	45	35	-13	6.4	5.8	4.5	-1.9
35-44	23	25	20	-3	3.6	3.8	3.0	-0.6
45 +	35	33	28	-7	4.4	4.0	3.4	-1.0
45-54	17	14	12	-5	3.9	3.0	2.7	-1.2
55-64	17	18	13	-4	5.4	5.7	4.3	-1.1
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	157	137	120	-37	7.2	6.0	5.2	-2.0
15-24	43	45	38	-5	8.9	9.2	7.9	-1.0
15-19	20	21	19	-1	10.9	10.9	9.6	-1.3
20-24	23	24	20	-3	7.7	8.1	6.8	-0.9
25-44	76	70	60	-16	6.6	5.7	4.9	-1.7
25-34	39	39	34	-5	6.3	6.0	5.2	-1.1
35-44	37	31	26	-11	7.0	5.4	4.5	-2.5
45 +	38	23	21	-17	7.1	4.0	3.7	-3.4
45-54	23	12	14	-9	7.0	3.4	4.0	-3.0
55-64	13	9	7	-6	7.3	4.9	3.5	-3.8
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	327	297	255	-72	6.7	5.8	5.0	-1.7
15-24	106	101	91	-15	10.3	9.8	8.9	-1.4
15-19	48	50	44	-4	12.4	12.3	11.0	-1.4
20-24	58	51	46	-12	9.1	8.3	7.5	-1.6
25-44	147	140	115	-32	5.8	5.3	4.3	-1.5
25-34	88	84	69	-19	6.4	5.8	4.8	-1.6
35-44	60	56	46	-14	5.1	4.6	3.7	-1.4
45 +	73	56	49	-24	5.5	4.0	3.5	-2.0
45-54	41	26	27	-14	5.2	3.1	3.3	-1.9
55-64	30	27	20	-10	6.1	5.4	4.0	-2.1
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87- Apr. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4587	4787	4834	247
Agriculture	117	114	120	3
Other Primary	55	51	52	-3
Manufacturing	998	1024	1024	26
Construction	246	255	256	10
Transportation	322	309	311	-11
Trade	790	862	866	76
Finance	299	329	340	41
Service	1476	1542	1570	94
Public Administration	285	302	296	11
Occupation	4587	4787	4834	247
Managerial	1355	1428	1442	87
Clerical	801	848	858	57
Sales	429	475	483	54
Service	575	596	599	24
Primary	140	138	148	8
Processing	701	726	712	11
Construction	236	234	238	2
Transportation	174	157	166	-8
Materials Handling	176	186	187	11



## 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87-Apr. 88	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87-Apr. 88
All Ages	327	297	255	-72	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	90	110	79	-11	27.5	37.0	31.0	3.5
5 - 13 weeks	78	92	67	-11	23.9	31.0	26.3	2.4
14 weeks and over	145	86	99	-50	45.6	29.0	38.8	-6.7
Average duration (weeks)	19.0	13.2	15.1	-3.9	—	—	—	—
15 - 24 Years	106	101	91	-15	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	40	45	36	-4	37.7	44.6	39.6	1.6
5 - 13 weeks	29	35	25	-4	27.4	34.7	27.5	0.1
14 weeks and over	35	19	27	-8	33.0	18.8	29.7	-3.3
Average duration (weeks)	13.2	9.2	11.2	-2.0	—	—	—	—
25 - 44 Years	147	140	115	-32	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	39	51	32	-7	26.5	36.4	27.8	1.3
5 - 13 weeks	33	45	28	-5	22.4	32.1	24.3	1.9
14 weeks and over	73	40	50	-23	49.7	28.6	43.5	-6.2
Average duration (weeks)	20.3	12.8	15.9	-4.4	—	—	—	—
45 Years and over	73	56	49	-24	100.0	100.0	100.0	—
4 weeks or less	11	14	11	0	15.1	25.0	22.4	7.4
5 - 13 weeks	16	12	14	-2	21.9	21.4	28.6	6.7
14 weeks and over	42	27	23	-19	57.5	48.2	46.9	-10.6
Average duration (weeks)	25.1	22.0	20.5	-4.6	—	—	—	—



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87-Apr. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	48	50	44	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.4	12.3	11.0	-1.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	23	26	20	-3
5 - 13 weeks	15	18	13	-2
14 weeks and over	9	5	10	1
Average duration (weeks)	8.9	6.9	8.8	-0.1
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	17	20	17	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.2	18.5	16.7	1.5
Duration				
4 weeks or less	7	8	8	1
5 - 13 weeks	5	9	4	-1
14 weeks and over	4	--	5	1
Average duration (weeks)	8.5	8.3	8.6	0.1
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	58	51	46	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	8.3	7.5	-1.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	18	19	16	-2
5 - 13 weeks	14	17	12	-2
14 weeks and over	25	14	17	-8
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	11.5	13.6	-3.2
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	57	50	46	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.0	9.3	8.4	-1.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	17	19	15	-2
5 - 13 weeks	13	16	12	-1
14 weeks and over	25	14	17	-8
Average duration (weeks)	17.1	11.5	13.7	-3.4



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87- Apr. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	444	457	445	1
Employment	402	432	422	20
Unemployment	42	24	23	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	5.3	5.2	-4.3
Sudbury				
Labour Force	69	69	69	0
Employment	62	60	63	1
Unemployment	7	8	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	11.9	9.0	-1.5
Oshawa				
Labour Force	93	100	102	9
Employment	88	95	95	7
Unemployment	5	5	7	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.1	4.7	6.7	1.6
Toronto				
Labour Force	1861	1879	1883	22
Employment	1778	1805	1822	44
Unemployment	83	74	61	-22
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5	3.9	3.2	-1.3
Hamilton				
Labour Force	310	320	323	13
Employment	290	296	305	15
Unemployment	20	24	19	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	7.5	5.8	-0.7
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	155	158	157	2
Employment	136	144	145	9
Unemployment	19	14	12	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.2	8.7	7.5	-4.7
London				
Labour Force	156	168	166	10
Employment	144	162	161	17
Unemployment	12	7	6	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	4.0	3.4	-4.5
Windsor				
Labour Force	127	127	130	3
Employment	115	115	120	5
Unemployment	13	11	10	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	9.0	7.7	-2.2
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	168	183	184	16
Employment	158	171	176	18
Unemployment	11	12	8	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	6.5	4.5	-1.8
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	67	68	66	-1
Employment	61	62	61	0
Unemployment	6	6	5	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	8.4	7.2	-1.9



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	April 1987	March 1988	April 1988	Change Apr. 87- Apr. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	4914	5083	5088	174
Employment	4587	4787	4834	247
Unemployment	327	297	255	-72
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	5.8	5.0	-1.7
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	218	227	227	9
Employment	167	177	180	13
Unemployment	51	50	47	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	23.5	21.9	20.6	-2.9
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	57	60	59	2
Employment	48	49	48	0
Unemployment	9	11	11	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.5	18.7	17.9	1.4
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	393	402	400	7
Employment	330	352	353	23
Unemployment	63	50	47	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.9	12.4	11.7	-4.2
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	306	312	307	1
Employment	259	262	265	6
Unemployment	48	50	42	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.5	16.1	13.7	-1.8
Quebec				
Labour Force	3257	3290	3271	14
Employment	2897	2937	2942	45
Unemployment	360	353	328	-32
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.0	10.7	10.0	-1.0
Manitoba				
Labour Force	533	535	532	-1
Employment	488	487	486	-2
Unemployment	45	48	47	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.4	9.0	8.7	0.3
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	483	486	485	2
Employment	445	441	446	1
Unemployment	38	45	39	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	9.2	8.1	0.2
Alberta				
Labour Force	1266	1282	1275	9
Employment	1127	1170	1170	43
Unemployment	139	113	106	-33
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.0	8.8	8.3	-2.7
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1485	1506	1522	37
Employment	1293	1341	1357	64
Unemployment	192	165	165	-27
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.9	11.0	10.8	-2.1
CANADA				
Labour Force	12913	13183	13166	253
Employment	11641	12002	12080	439
Unemployment	1271	1181	1085	-186
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.8	9.0	8.2	-1.6



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**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED				UNADJUSTED		
	April	May	Change	May	April	May	Change
	1988	1988		1987	1988	1988	May 87- May 88
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ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
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Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7258	7387	7398	140
Males	-	-	-	3533	3599	3605	72
Females	-	-	-	3726	3788	3794	68
Labour Force	5143	5158	15	5024	5068	5152	168
Males	2838	2850	12	2809	2802	2873	64
Females	2305	2308	3	2215	2266	2319	104
Participation Rate (%)	69.6	69.7	0.1	69.2	68.9	70.2	1.0
Males	78.9	79.1	0.2	79.5	77.9	79.7	0.2
Females	60.9	60.8	-0.1	59.5	60.4	61.1	1.6
Employment	4895	4903	8	4719	4834	4947	228
Males	2712	2718	6	2658	2667	2748	90
Females	2183	2185	2	2061	2166	2199	138
Unemployment	248	255	7	305	235	245	-60
Males	126	132	6	151	135	126	-25
Females	122	123	1	154	120	120	-34
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	4.9	0.1	6.1	5.0	4.7	-1.4
Males	4.4	4.6	0.2	5.4	4.8	4.4	-1.0
Females	5.3	5.3	0.0	7.0	5.2	5.2	-1.8
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CANADA							
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Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19788	20027	20052	264
Males	-	-	-	9669	9783	9799	130
Females	-	-	-	10119	10239	10252	133
Labour Force	13320	13405	85	13195	13166	13514	319
Males	7494	7544	50	7487	7365	7614	127
Females	5826	5861	35	5708	5781	5900	192
Participation Rate (%)	66.5	66.9	0.4	66.7	65.7	67.4	0.7
Males	76.6	77.0	0.4	77.4	75.5	77.7	0.3
Females	56.9	57.2	0.3	56.4	56.5	57.6	1.2
Employment	12295	12363	68	12018	12080	12479	461
Males	6947	6992	45	6842	6775	7060	218
Females	5348	5371	23	5176	5305	5419	243
Unemployment	1025	1042	17	1177	1085	1035	-142
Males	547	552	5	645	609	554	-91
Females	478	490	12	532	476	481	-51
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.8	0.1	8.9	8.2	7.7	-1.2
Males	7.3	7.3	0.0	8.6	8.3	7.3	-1.3
Females	8.2	8.4	0.2	9.3	8.2	8.2	-1.1



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	May 87- May 88	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	May 87- May 88	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	May 87- May 88
Males	3533	3599	3605	2.0	79.5	77.9	79.7	0.3	2809	2802	2873	2.3
15-24	758	747	745	-1.7	78.1	71.6	79.8	2.2	592	535	594	0.3
15-19	348	348	348	0.0	62.8	59.4	67.0	6.7	219	207	233	6.4
20-24	410	399	397	-3.2	91.0	82.2	90.9	-0.1	373	328	361	-3.2
25-44	1457	1507	1511	3.7	96.2	96.0	96.7	0.5	1402	1446	1461	4.2
25-34	750	819	821	3.9	95.7	95.6	96.9	1.3	756	763	795	5.2
35-44	667	688	690	3.4	96.8	96.5	96.4	-0.4	646	664	665	2.9
45 +	1318	1346	1349	2.4	61.9	61.0	60.7	-1.9	815	821	819	0.5
45-54	479	489	491	2.5	94.2	94.2	93.5	-0.7	451	461	459	1.8
55-64	431	435	435	0.9	71.3	70.9	70.6	-1.0	327	308	307	0.0
65 +	408	422	423	3.7	14.0	12.3	12.4	-1.4	57	52	53	-7.0
Females	3726	3788	3794	1.8	59.5	60.4	61.1	2.7	2215	2286	2319	4.7
15-24	731	717	715	-2.2	71.8	68.0	74.5	3.8	524	488	533	1.7
15-19	332	330	330	-0.6	60.3	58.6	63.5	5.3	200	194	210	5.0
20-24	399	387	385	-3.5	81.3	75.8	83.9	3.2	324	293	323	-0.3
25-44	1500	1546	1550	3.3	77.1	79.2	79.1	2.6	1157	1223	1226	6.0
25-34	817	839	841	2.9	76.5	77.2	77.3	1.0	625	648	650	4.0
35-44	683	706	709	3.8	77.8	81.5	81.2	4.4	532	575	575	8.1
45 +	1495	1525	1528	2.2	35.7	37.7	36.7	2.8	534	575	560	4.9
45-54	483	494	495	2.5	68.8	73.0	70.8	2.9	332	361	351	5.7
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	39.7	41.0	40.6	2.3	182	189	187	2.7
65 +	552	570	572	3.6	3.5	4.4	3.9	11.4	19	25	22	15.8
Both Sexes	7258	7387	7398	1.9	69.2	68.9	70.2	1.4	5024	5088	5192	3.3
15-24	1488	1464	1460	-1.9	75.0	69.8	77.2	2.9	1116	1022	1127	1.0
15-19	680	678	678	-0.3	61.6	59.1	65.3	6.0	419	401	443	5.7
20-24	809	785	782	-3.3	86.2	79.1	87.5	1.5	697	621	684	-1.9
25-44	2957	3052	3061	3.5	86.5	87.5	87.7	1.4	2559	2670	2686	5.0
25-34	1607	1658	1662	3.4	85.9	86.3	86.9	1.2	1381	1431	1445	4.6
35-44	1351	1394	1399	3.6	87.2	88.9	88.7	1.7	1178	1239	1241	5.3
45 +	2813	2871	2877	2.3	48.0	48.6	47.9	-0.2	1349	1396	1379	2.2
45-54	961	983	986	2.6	81.5	83.6	82.1	0.7	783	821	809	3.3
55-64	891	896	896	0.6	55.0	55.5	55.2	0.4	490	497	495	1.0
65 +	960	992	995	3.6	8.0	7.8	7.5	-6.3	76	77	75	-2.3



## 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment					Full-time Employment					Part-time Employment			
	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87- May 88		May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87- May 88		May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87- May 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )														
Males	2658	2667	2748	90		2443	2432	2528	85		215	235	219	4
15-24	529	483	540	11		372	303	377	5		157	179	164	7
25-44	1343	1391	1412	69		1320	1368	1390	70		23	23	21	-2
45 +	786	793	795	9		751	761	761	10		35	33	34	-1
45-54	437	448	449	12		433	445	446	13		4	--	--	--
55-64	294	295	296	2		281	279	279	-2		13	16	17	4
65 +	55	50	51	-4		37	36	36	-1		18	14	15	-3
Females	2061	2166	2199	138		1528	1577	1656	128		532	589	543	11
15-24	470	449	492	22		283	250	302	19		186	200	190	4
25-44	1090	1164	1168	78		877	929	957	80		214	235	211	-3
45 +	501	554	539	38		368	398	397	29		132	154	142	10
45-54	312	346	337	25		237	256	256	19		75	90	81	6
55-64	170	182	179	9		122	132	131	9		48	50	48	0
65 +	19	25	22	3		10	10	10	0		9	15	12	3
Both Sexes	4719	4834	4947	228		3971	4009	4184	213		747	825	763	16
15-24	998	932	1033	35		655	553	678	23		343	379	354	11
25-44	2433	2555	2580	147		2197	2297	2347	150		236	258	233	-3
45 +	1287	1347	1335	48		1119	1159	1159	40		168	188	176	8
45-54	750	795	786	36		670	701	703	33		79	94	84	5
55-64	465	478	475	10		403	411	410	7		62	66	65	3
65 +	73	75	73	0		47	46	46	-1		27	28	27	0

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



#### 4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
			Change				Change	
	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	May 87- May 88	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	May 87- May 88
Males	151	135	126	-25	5.4	4.8	4.4	-1.2
15-24	63	52	53	-10	10.6	9.7	9.0	-1.6
15-19	26	26	25	-1	11.8	12.3	10.7	-1.1
20-24	37	27	28	-9	9.9	8.1	7.9	-2.0
25-44	59	55	49	-10	4.2	3.8	3.3	-0.9
25-34	38	35	31	-7	5.0	4.5	3.9	-1.1
35-44	21	20	18	-3	3.2	3.0	2.7	-0.5
45 +	29	28	23	-6	3.6	3.4	2.8	-0.8
45-54	14	12	10	-4	3.0	2.7	2.2	-0.8
55-64	13	13	12	-1	4.3	4.3	3.8	-0.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	154	120	120	-34	7.0	5.2	5.2	-1.8
15-24	55	38	41	-14	10.5	7.9	7.7	-2.8
15-19	22	19	17	-5	10.8	9.6	8.0	-2.8
20-24	33	20	24	-9	10.2	6.8	7.5	-2.7
25-44	67	60	57	-10	5.8	4.9	4.7	-1.1
25-34	37	34	37	0	5.9	5.2	5.6	-0.3
35-44	30	26	21	-9	5.6	4.5	3.6	-2.0
45 +	33	21	21	-12	6.1	3.7	3.8	-2.3
45-54	20	14	13	-7	6.0	4.0	3.8	-2.2
55-64	12	7	8	-4	6.6	3.5	4.3	-2.3
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	305	255	245	-60	6.1	5.0	4.7	-1.4
15-24	118	91	95	-23	10.6	8.9	8.4	-2.2
15-19	48	44	42	-6	11.4	11.0	9.4	-2.0
20-24	70	46	53	-17	10.1	7.5	7.7	-2.4
25-44	125	115	106	-19	4.9	4.3	4.0	-0.9
25-34	75	69	68	-7	5.4	4.8	4.7	-0.7
35-44	50	46	39	-11	4.3	3.7	3.1	-1.2
45 +	62	49	44	-18	4.6	3.5	3.2	-1.4
45-54	34	27	23	-11	4.3	3.3	2.9	-1.4
55-64	25	20	20	-5	5.2	4.0	4.0	-1.2
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87- May 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4719	4834	4947	228
Agriculture	130	120	137	7
Other Primary	59	52	58	-1
Manufacturing	1031	1024	1025	-6
Construction	275	256	290	15
Transportation	310	311	318	8
Trade	794	866	867	73
Finance	300	340	342	42
Service	1529	1570	1594	65
Public Administration	291	296	315	24
Occupation	4719	4834	4947	228
Managerial	1374	1442	1464	90
Clerical	786	858	857	71
Sales	433	483	471	38
Service	593	599	627	34
Primary	169	148	183	14
Processing	728	712	719	-9
Construction	263	238	266	3
Transportation	175	166	176	1
Materials Handling	199	187	183	-16



## 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)					PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87-May 88		May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87-May 88
All Ages	305	255	245	-60		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	92	79	83	-9		30.2	31.0	33.9	3.7
5 - 13 weeks	72	67	60	-12		23.6	26.3	24.5	0.9
14 weeks and over	131	99	88	-43		43.0	38.8	35.3	-7.0
Average duration (weeks)	18.2	15.1	15.2	-3.0		--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	118	91	95	-23		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	51	36	38	-13		43.2	39.6	40.0	-3.2
5 - 13 weeks	31	25	22	-9		26.3	27.5	23.2	-3.1
14 weeks and over	31	27	25	-6		26.3	29.7	26.3	0.0
Average duration (weeks)	11.5	11.2	10.3	-1.2		--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	125	115	106	-19		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	29	32	34	5		23.2	27.8	32.1	8.9
5 - 13 weeks	28	28	28	0		22.4	24.3	26.4	4.0
14 weeks and over	65	50	40	-25		52.0	43.5	37.7	-14.3
Average duration (weeks)	21.8	15.9	15.4	-6.4		--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	62	49	44	-18		100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	12	11	12	0		19.4	22.4	27.3	7.9
5 - 13 weeks	13	14	9	-4		21.0	28.6	20.5	-8.5
14 weeks and over	35	23	23	-12		56.5	46.9	52.3	-4.2
Average duration (weeks)	23.5	20.5	24.4	0.9		--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT : AGE  
INTERVAL \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	May 1987	April 1986	May 1986	Change May 87-May 86
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	48	44	42	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.4	11.0	9.4	-2.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	21	20	16	-5
5 - 13 weeks	12	13	11	-
14 weeks and over	12	10	12	-2
Average duration (weeks)	9.8	8.8	9.7	-2.1
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	70	46	53	-17
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	7.5	7.7	-2.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	30	16	21	-9
5 - 13 weeks	18	12	9	-9
14 weeks and over	20	17	15	-5
Average duration (weeks)	12.6	13.6	12.8	-1.8

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: CONTINUED

METROPOLITAN AREA	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87 - May 88
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)				
Ottawa-Gatineau				
Labour Force	449	445	463	14
Employment	416	422	437	21
Unemployment	34	23	26	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.5	5.2	5.6	-1.9
Sudbury				
Labour Force	71	69	71	0
Employment	64	63	65	1
Unemployment	7	6	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.9	9.0	8.0	-1.9
Oshawa				
Labour Force	97	102	101	4
Employment	89	95	96	7
Unemployment	8	7	5	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.2	6.7	5.0	-3.2
Toronto				
Labour Force	1869	1883	1906	37
Employment	1784	1822	1846	62
Unemployment	85	61	61	-24
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.6	3.2	3.2	-1.4
Hamilton				
Labour Force	324	323	327	3
Employment	301	305	310	9
Unemployment	23	19	17	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	5.8	5.1	-2.0
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	160	157	167	7
Employment	147	145	155	8
Unemployment	13	12	12	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	7.5	6.9	-1.1
London				
Labour Force	164	166	170	6
Employment	151	161	162	11
Unemployment	13	6	7	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	3.4	4.4	-3.5
Windsor				
Labour Force	125	130	134	9
Employment	114	120	126	12
Unemployment	10	10	8	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.3	7.7	6.3	-2.0
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	168	184	182	14
Employment	159	176	174	15
Unemployment	8	8	9	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5	4.5	4.8	-0.3
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	66	66	66	0
Employment	61	61	63	2
Unemployment	5	5	--	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.3	7.2	--	--



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	May 1987	April 1988	May 1988	Change May 87- May 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5024	5088	5192	168
Employment	4719	4834	4947	228
Unemployment	305	255	245	-60
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	5.0	4.7	-1.4
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	232	227	242	10
Employment	182	180	197	15
Unemployment	50	47	46	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	21.7	20.6	18.8	-2.9
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	62	59	65	3
Employment	55	48	57	2
Unemployment	7	11	8	.
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.9	17.9	11.7	0.6
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	410	400	418	8
Employment	355	353	376	21
Unemployment	55	47	42	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.4	11.7	10.0	-3.4
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	326	307	330	4
Employment	281	265	288	7
Unemployment	45	42	42	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.8	13.7	12.7	-1.1
Quebec				
Labour Force	3317	3271	3387	70
Employment	2973	2942	3065	92
Unemployment	344	328	323	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	10.0	9.5	-2.5
Manitoba				
Labour Force	539	532	543	4
Employment	503	486	503	2
Unemployment	35	47	40	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	8.7	7.4	0.9
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	499	485	498	-1
Employment	462	446	464	2
Unemployment	37	39	34	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.5	8.1	6.8	-0.6
Alberta				
Labour Force	1287	1275	1310	23
Employment	1163	1170	1210	47
Unemployment	124	106	100	-24
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	8.3	7.6	-2.0
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1501	1522	1530	29
Employment	1326	1357	1374	48
Unemployment	175	165	156	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	10.8	10.2	-1.4
CANADA				
Labour Force	13195	13166	13514	319
Employment	12018	12080	12475	46
Unemployment	1177	1085	1035	-142
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	8.2	7.7	-1.2



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	May 1988	June 1988	Change	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87- June 88
<b>ONTARIO</b>							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7271	7398	7408	137
Males	-	-	-	3539	3605	3610	71
Females	-	-	-	3732	3794	3799	67
Labour Force	5158	5115	-43	5122	5192	5229	107
Males	2850	2820	-30	2852	2873	2891	39
Females	2308	2295	-13	2270	2319	2338	68
Participation Rate (%)	69.7	69.0	-0.7	70.5	70.2	70.6	0.1
Males	79.1	78.1	-1.0	80.6	79.7	80.1	-0.5
Females	60.8	60.4	-0.4	60.8	61.1	61.6	0.8
Employment	4903	4872	-31	4817	4947	4989	172
Males	2718	2698	-20	2710	2748	2777	67
Females	2185	2174	-11	2107	2199	2212	105
Unemployment	255	243	-12	305	245	240	-65
Males	132	122	-10	142	126	113	-29
Females	123	121	-2	163	120	126	-37
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	4.8	-0.1	5.9	4.7	4.6	-1.3
Males	4.6	4.3	-0.3	5.0	4.4	3.9	-1.1
Females	5.3	5.3	0.0	7.2	5.2	5.4	-1.8
<b>CANADA</b>							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19812	20052	20073	261
Males	-	-	-	9681	9799	9810	129
Females	-	-	-	10131	10252	10263	132
Labour Force	13405	13350	-55	13456	13514	13666	210
Males	7544	7494	-50	7632	7614	7696	64
Females	5861	5856	-5	5824	5900	5971	147
Participation Rate (%)	66.9	66.5	-0.4	67.9	67.4	68.1	0.2
Males	77.0	76.4	-0.6	78.8	77.7	78.5	-0.3
Females	57.2	57.1	-0.1	57.5	57.6	58.2	0.7
Employment	12363	12339	-24	12315	12479	12693	378
Males	6992	6958	-34	7041	7060	7201	160
Females	5371	5381	10	5274	5419	5492	218
Unemployment	1042	1011	-31	1142	1035	973	-169
Males	552	536	-16	591	554	494	-97
Females	490	475	-15	550	481	479	-71
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.6	-0.2	8.5	7.7	7.1	-1.4
Males	7.3	7.2	-0.1	7.7	7.3	6.4	-1.3
Females	8.4	8.1	-0.3	9.4	8.2	8.0	-1.4



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	June 87- June 88	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	June 87- June 88	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	June 87- June 88
Males	3539	3605	3610	2.0	80.6	79.7	80.1	-0.6	2852	2873	2891	1.4
15-24	757	745	743	-1.8	83.4	79.8	81.4	-2.4	631	594	605	-4.1
15-19	348	348	348	0.0	71.7	67.0	69.6	-2.9	250	233	242	-3.2
20-24	409	397	396	-3.2	93.3	90.9	91.7	-1.7	382	361	363	-5.0
25-44	1462	1511	1515	3.6	96.6	96.7	96.5	-0.1	1412	1461	1462	3.5
25-34	792	821	823	3.9	96.3	96.9	96.7	0.4	763	795	796	4.3
35-44	669	690	692	3.4	97.0	96.4	96.2	-0.8	649	665	666	2.6
45 +	1321	1349	1352	2.3	61.3	60.7	61.0	-0.5	809	819	824	1.9
45-54	480	491	492	2.5	94.2	93.5	94.3	0.1	452	459	464	2.7
55-64	431	435	435	0.9	69.9	70.6	71.0	1.6	302	307	309	2.3
65 +	409	423	424	3.7	13.7	12.4	12.1	-11.7	56	53	51	-8.9
Females	3732	3794	3799	1.8	60.8	61.1	61.6	1.3	2270	2319	2338	3.0
15-24	730	715	714	-2.2	77.9	74.5	76.1	-2.3	568	533	544	-4.2
15-19	331	330	330	-0.3	70.8	63.5	66.2	-6.5	235	210	218	-7.2
20-24	398	385	384	-3.5	83.8	83.9	84.6	1.0	334	323	325	-2.7
25-44	1505	1550	1554	3.3	77.1	79.1	79.5	3.1	1160	1226	1235	6.5
25-34	819	841	843	2.9	76.6	77.3	78.2	2.1	628	650	659	4.9
35-44	686	709	711	3.6	77.7	81.2	81.0	4.2	533	575	576	8.1
45 +	1497	1528	1531	2.3	36.2	36.7	36.6	1.1	542	560	560	3.3
45-54	484	495	496	2.5	69.5	70.8	71.4	2.7	336	351	354	5.4
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	39.5	40.6	39.7	0.5	182	187	183	0.5
65 +	554	572	574	3.6	4.2	3.9	4.0	-4.8	23	22	23	0.0
Both Sexes	7271	7398	7408	1.9	70.5	70.2	70.6	0.1	5122	5192	5229	2.1
15-24	1486	1460	1457	-2.0	80.7	77.2	78.8	-2.4	1199	1127	1148	-4.3
15-19	679	678	678	-0.1	71.3	65.3	67.9	-4.8	484	443	460	-5.0
20-24	807	782	780	-3.3	88.7	87.5	88.2	-0.6	715	684	688	-3.8
25-44	2966	3061	3069	3.5	86.7	87.7	87.9	1.4	2572	2686	2697	4.9
25-34	1611	1662	1666	3.4	86.3	86.9	87.3	1.2	1390	1445	1455	4.7
35-44	1355	1399	1402	3.5	87.2	88.7	88.5	1.5	1181	1241	1241	5.1
45 +	2818	2877	2882	2.3	47.9	47.9	48.0	0.2	1351	1379	1384	2.4
45-54	963	986	988	2.6	81.8	82.1	82.8	1.2	788	809	818	3.8
55-64	892	896	896	0.4	54.2	55.2	54.9	1.3	483	495	492	1.9
65 +	963	995	998	3.6	8.2	7.5	7.4	-9.8	79	75	74	-6.3



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87- June 88	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87- June 88	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87- June 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2710	2748	2777	67	2522	2528	2574	52	188	219	203	15
15-24	569	540	559	-10	438	377	408	-30	130	164	151	21
25-44	1356	1412	1414	58	1338	1390	1396	58	18	21	18	0
45 +	785	795	804	19	746	761	770	24	40	34	34	-6
45-54	439	449	454	15	433	446	449	16	6	--	4	-2
55-64	291	296	300	9	274	279	282	8	18	17	18	0
65 +	56	51	51	-5	39	36	38	-1	17	15	12	-5
Females	2107	2199	2212	105	1592	1656	1677	85	515	543	535	20
15-24	509	492	503	-6	334	302	327	-7	175	190	176	1
25-44	1090	1168	1174	84	886	957	945	59	204	211	229	25
45 +	509	539	536	27	372	397	405	33	136	142	130	-6
45-54	317	337	337	20	237	256	265	28	81	81	72	-9
55-64	169	179	176	7	124	131	130	6	45	48	47	2
65 +	23	22	23	0	12	10	11	-1	11	12	12	1
Both Sexes	4817	4947	4989	172	4114	4184	4250	136	703	763	739	36
15-24	1077	1033	1062	-15	772	678	735	-37	305	354	327	22
25-44	2446	2580	2588	142	2224	2347	2340	116	221	233	247	26
45 +	1295	1335	1340	45	1118	1159	1175	57	177	176	165	-12
45-54	756	786	790	34	670	703	714	44	86	84	76	-10
55-64	460	475	476	16	397	410	411	14	63	65	65	2
65 +	78	73	73	-5	51	46	49	-2	28	27	24	-4

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87-June 88	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87-June 88
Males	142	126	113	-29	5.0	4.4	3.9	-1.1
15-24	63	53	46	-17	9.9	9.0	7.6	-2.3
15-19	33	25	20	-13	13.3	10.7	8.1	-5.2
20-24	29	28	26	-3	7.7	7.9	7.2	-0.5
25-44	56	49	48	-8	3.9	3.3	3.3	-0.6
25-34	40	31	28	-12	5.2	3.9	3.5	-1.7
35-44	16	18	20	4	2.5	2.7	2.9	0.4
45 +	24	23	20	-4	3.0	2.8	2.4	-0.6
45-54	13	10	10	-3	2.9	2.2	2.2	-0.7
55-64	11	12	9	-2	3.5	3.8	3.0	-0.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	163	120	126	-37	7.2	5.2	5.4	-1.8
15-24	60	41	41	-19	10.5	7.7	7.5	-3.0
15-19	35	17	16	-19	14.9	8.0	7.2	-7.7
20-24	25	24	25	0	7.4	7.5	7.7	0.3
25-44	71	57	61	-10	6.1	4.7	5.0	-1.1
25-34	46	37	38	-8	7.4	5.6	5.8	-1.6
35-44	24	21	23	-1	4.6	3.6	4.0	-0.6
45 +	32	21	24	-8	6.0	3.8	4.3	-1.7
45-54	19	13	18	-1	5.6	3.8	5.0	-0.6
55-64	13	8	7	-6	7.1	4.3	3.6	-3.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	305	245	240	-65	5.9	4.7	4.6	-1.3
15-24	122	95	86	-36	10.2	8.4	7.5	-2.7
15-19	68	42	35	-33	14.1	9.4	7.7	-6.4
20-24	54	53	51	-3	7.6	7.7	7.4	-0.2
25-44	126	106	109	-17	4.9	4.0	4.0	-0.9
25-34	86	68	66	-20	6.2	4.7	4.6	-1.6
35-44	40	39	43	3	3.4	3.1	3.4	0.0
45 +	56	44	44	-12	4.2	3.2	3.2	-1.0
45-54	32	23	28	-4	4.1	2.9	3.4	-0.7
55-64	23	20	16	-7	4.8	4.0	3.2	-1.6
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87 - June 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4817	4947	4989	172
Agriculture	132	137	122	-10
Other Primary	65	58	58	-7
Manufacturing	1041	1025	1038	-3
Construction	299	290	316	17
Transportation	318	318	341	23
Trade	802	867	872	70
Finance	315	342	346	31
Service	1554	1594	1576	22
Public Administration	291	315	321	30
Occupation	4817	4947	4989	172
Managerial	1406	1464	1476	70
Clerical	792	857	874	82
Sales	438	471	467	29
Service	602	627	622	20
Primary	182	183	176	-6
Processing	739	719	718	-21
Construction	281	266	282	1
Transportation	176	176	182	6
Materials Handling	202	183	193	-9



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87-June 88	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87-June 88
All Ages	305	245	240	-65	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	107	83	94	-13	35.1	33.9	39.2	4.1
5 - 13 weeks	77	60	67	-10	25.2	24.5	27.9	2.7
14 weeks and over	108	88	68	-40	35.4	35.9	28.3	-7.1
Average duration (weeks)	16.8	15.2	13.8	-3.0	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	122	95	86	-36	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	58	38	42	-16	47.5	40.0	48.8	1.3
5 - 13 weeks	34	22	24	-10	27.9	23.2	27.9	0.0
14 weeks and over	24	25	15	-9	19.7	26.3	17.4	-2.2
Average duration (weeks)	10.9	10.3	9.1	-1.8	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	126	106	109	-17	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	38	34	38	0	30.2	32.1	34.9	4.7
5 - 13 weeks	30	28	33	3	23.8	26.4	30.3	6.5
14 weeks and over	54	40	35	-19	42.9	37.7	32.1	-10.7
Average duration (weeks)	18.3	15.4	14.6	-3.7	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	56	44	44	-12	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	11	12	15	4	19.6	27.3	34.1	14.4
5 - 13 weeks	14	9	10	-4	25.0	20.5	22.7	-2.3
14 weeks and over	31	23	18	-13	55.4	52.3	40.9	-14.4
Average duration (weeks)	26.0	24.4	20.9	-5.1	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87 - June 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	68	42	35	-33
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.1	9.4	7.7	-6.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	37	16	18	-19
5 - 13 weeks	17	13	10	-7
14 weeks and over	9	10	4	-5
Average duration (weeks)	7.7	9.7	7.4	-0.3
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	54	53	51	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.7	7.4	-0.2
Duration				
4 weeks or less	21	21	23	2
5 - 13 weeks	17	9	14	-3
14 weeks and over	15	15	11	-4
Average duration (weeks)	14.7	10.8	10.2	-4.5

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



**8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO**

METROPOLITAN AREA	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87 - June 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	457	463	459	2
Employment	425	437	439	14
Unemployment	32	26	20	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	5.6	4.3	-2.7
Sudbury				
Labour Force	73	71	71	-2
Employment	65	65	64	-1
Unemployment	8	6	7	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	8.0	10.1	-0.3
Oshawa				
Labour Force	99	101	102	3
Employment	92	96	98	6
Unemployment	6	5	4	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	5.0	4.4	-2.1
Toronto				
Labour Force	1908	1906	1942	34
Employment	1809	1846	1871	62
Unemployment	99	61	71	-28
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	3.2	3.7	-1.5
Hamilton				
Labour Force	318	327	320	2
Employment	302	310	303	1
Unemployment	16	17	17	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.1	5.4	0.4
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	158	167	170	12
Employment	148	155	161	13
Unemployment	10	12	9	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	6.9	5.1	-1.0
London				
Labour Force	167	170	170	3
Employment	154	162	164	10
Unemployment	13	7	6	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	4.4	3.4	-4.5
Windsor				
Labour Force	127	134	138	11
Employment	115	126	128	13
Unemployment	12	8	10	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	6.3	7.6	-1.8
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	173	182	185	12
Employment	164	174	173	9
Unemployment	9	9	12	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	4.8	6.4	1.2
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	69	66	66	-3
Employment	62	63	63	1
Unemployment	6	--	4	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	--	5.3	-3.8



**9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE**

PROVINCES	June 1987	May 1988	June 1988	Change June 87 - June 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
<b>ONTARIO</b>				
Labour Force	5122	5192	5229	107
Employment	4817	4947	4989	172
Unemployment	305	245	240	-65
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.9	4.7	4.6	-1.3
<b>Newfoundland</b>				
Labour Force	248	242	255	7
Employment	207	197	215	8
Unemployment	41	46	40	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.7	18.8	15.6	-1.1
<b>P.E.I.</b>				
Labour Force	64	65	67	3
Employment	59	57	61	2
Unemployment	6	8	6	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	11.7	9.2	0.4
<b>Nova Scotia</b>				
Labour Force	415	418	425	10
Employment	368	376	388	20
Unemployment	47	42	37	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.4	10.0	8.7	-2.7
<b>New Brunswick</b>				
Labour Force	338	330	341	3
Employment	293	288	302	9
Unemployment	45	42	39	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.3	12.7	11.5	-1.8
<b>Quebec</b>				
Labour Force	3420	3387	3445	25
Employment	3075	3065	3149	74
Unemployment	345	323	295	-50
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	9.5	8.6	-1.5
<b>Manitoba</b>				
Labour Force	538	543	545	7
Employment	501	503	509	8
Unemployment	37	40	36	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	7.4	6.7	-0.1
<b>Saskatchewan</b>				
Labour Force	506	498	499	-7
Employment	474	464	468	-6
Unemployment	32	34	31	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	6.9	6.2	-0.2
<b>Alberta</b>				
Labour Force	1289	1310	1324	35
Employment	1170	1210	1229	59
Unemployment	119	100	95	-24
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.2	7.6	7.2	-2.0
<b>British Columbia</b>				
Labour Force	1516	1530	1537	21
Employment	1351	1374	1383	32
Unemployment	164	156	154	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	10.2	10.0	-0.8
<b>CANADA</b>				
Labour Force	13456	13514	13666	210
Employment	12315	12479	12693	378
Unemployment	1142	1035	973	-169
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	7.7	7.1	-1.4



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	June 1988	July 1988	Change	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87- July 88
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ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7281	7408	7417	136
Males	-	-	-	3544	3610	3614	70
Females	-	-	-	3736	3799	3803	67
Labour Force	5115	5148	33	5148	5229	5290	142
Males	2820	2839	19	2875	2891	2937	62
Females	2295	2309	14	2273	2338	2352	79
Participation Rate (%)	69.0	69.4	0.4	70.7	70.6	71.3	0.6
Males	78.1	78.6	0.5	81.1	80.1	81.3	0.2
Females	60.4	60.7	0.3	60.8	61.6	61.9	1.1
Employment	4872	4891	19	4852	4989	5035	183
Males	2698	2710	12	2740	2777	2819	79
Females	2174	2181	7	2112	2212	2217	105
Unemployment	243	257	14	296	240	254	-42
Males	122	129	7	135	113	118	-17
Females	121	128	7	161	126	136	-25
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	5.0	0.2	5.8	4.6	4.8	-1.0
Males	4.3	4.5	0.2	4.7	3.9	4.0	-0.7
Females	5.3	5.5	0.2	7.1	5.4	5.8	-1.3
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CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19832	20073	20092	260
Males	-	-	-	9691	9810	9819	128
Females	-	-	-	10141	10263	10273	132
Labour Force	13350	13421	71	13577	13666	13872	295
Males	7494	7527	33	7731	7696	7843	112
Females	5856	5894	38	5846	5971	6029	183
Participation Rate (%)	66.5	66.8	0.3	68.5	68.1	69.0	0.5
Males	76.4	76.7	0.3	79.8	78.5	79.9	0.1
Females	57.1	57.4	0.3	57.6	58.2	58.7	1.1
Employment	12339	12364	25	12419	12693	12820	401
Males	6958	6967	9	7134	7201	7313	179
Females	5381	5397	16	5285	5492	5507	222
Unemployment	1011	1057	46	1158	973	1052	-106
Males	536	560	24	597	494	530	-67
Females	475	497	22	561	479	522	-39
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.9	0.3	8.5	7.1	7.6	-0.9
Males	7.2	7.4	0.2	7.7	6.4	6.8	-0.9
Females	8.1	8.4	0.3	9.6	8.0	8.7	-0.9



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	% Change July 87- July 88	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	% Change July 87- July 88	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	% Change July 87- July 88
Males	3544	3610	3614	2.0	81.1	80.1	81.3	0.2	2875	2891	2937	2.2
15-24	756	743	742	-1.9	87.6	81.4	87.6	0.0	663	605	650	-2.0
15-19	348	348	347	-0.3	79.7	69.6	82.2	3.1	277	242	286	3.2
20-24	408	396	395	-3.2	94.4	91.7	92.3	-2.2	385	363	364	-5.5
25-44	1466	1515	1518	3.5	96.6	96.5	96.6	0.0	1416	1462	1466	3.5
25-34	795	823	825	3.8	96.5	96.7	96.9	0.4	767	796	799	4.2
35-44	671	692	693	3.3	96.8	96.2	96.2	-0.6	649	666	667	2.8
45 +	1323	1352	1354	2.3	60.2	61.0	60.6	0.7	796	824	821	3.1
45-54	480	492	493	2.7	93.6	94.3	93.8	0.2	449	464	462	2.9
55-64	432	435	436	0.9	68.5	71.0	70.7	3.2	296	309	308	4.1
65 +	411	424	426	3.6	12.5	12.1	12.0	-4.0	51	51	51	0.0
Females	3736	3799	3803	1.8	60.8	61.6	61.9	1.8	2273	2338	2352	3.5
15-24	728	714	713	-2.1	81.9	76.1	82.8	1.1	597	544	590	-1.2
15-19	331	330	330	-0.3	79.2	66.2	79.9	0.9	262	218	263	0.4
20-24	397	384	383	-3.5	84.2	84.6	85.3	1.3	334	325	326	-2.4
25-44	1508	1554	1557	3.2	75.8	79.5	77.7	2.5	1143	1235	1210	5.9
25-34	821	843	844	2.8	75.6	78.2	76.3	0.9	621	659	644	3.7
35-44	687	711	713	3.8	76.0	81.0	79.5	4.6	522	576	566	8.4
45 +	1500	1531	1533	2.2	35.5	36.6	36.0	1.4	533	560	553	3.8
45-54	484	496	497	2.7	67.7	71.4	69.9	3.2	328	354	347	5.8
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	39.2	39.7	40.0	2.0	180	183	184	2.2
65 +	555	574	575	3.6	4.5	4.0	3.6	-20.0	25	23	21	-16.0
Both Sexes	7281	7408	7417	1.9	70.7	70.6	71.3	0.8	5148	5229	5290	2.8
15-24	1484	1457	1455	-2.0	84.9	78.8	85.2	0.4	1259	1148	1240	-1.5
15-19	679	678	677	-0.3	79.5	67.9	81.1	2.0	540	460	549	1.7
20-24	805	780	778	-3.4	89.4	88.2	88.8	-0.7	719	688	691	-3.9
25-44	2974	3069	3075	3.4	86.1	87.9	87.0	1.0	2559	2697	2676	4.6
25-34	1616	1666	1669	3.3	85.9	87.3	86.4	0.6	1388	1455	1443	4.0
35-44	1358	1402	1406	3.5	86.2	88.5	87.7	1.7	1171	1241	1233	5.3
45 +	2823	2882	2887	2.3	47.1	48.0	47.6	1.1	1329	1384	1373	3.3
45-54	965	988	990	2.6	80.6	82.8	81.8	1.5	777	818	809	4.1
55-64	892	896	897	0.6	53.4	54.9	54.9	2.8	476	492	492	3.4
65 +	966	998	1001	3.6	7.9	7.4	7.2	-8.9	76	74	72	-5.3



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87- July 88	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87- July 88	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87- July 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2740	2777	2819	79	2611	2574	2683	72	129	203	135	6
15-24	609	559	607	-2	525	408	520	-5	84	151	87	3
25-44	1358	1414	1412	54	1345	1396	1396	51	13	18	16	3
45 +	773	804	800	27	741	770	767	26	32	34	32	0
45-54	436	454	451	15	433	449	448	15	--	4	--	--
55-64	286	300	298	12	272	282	285	13	14	18	14	0
65 +	51	51	50	-1	36	38	35	-1	15	12	15	0
Females	2112	2212	2217	105	1652	1677	1733	81	460	535	484	24
15-24	544	503	546	2	399	327	410	11	145	176	137	-8
25-44	1068	1174	1144	76	882	945	931	49	186	229	213	27
45 +	500	536	526	26	371	405	392	21	129	130	134	5
45-54	308	337	328	20	238	265	254	16	71	72	74	3
55-64	168	176	178	10	122	130	128	6	46	47	50	4
65 +	24	23	21	-3	12	11	10	-2	12	12	10	-2
Both Sexes	4852	4989	5035	183	4263	4250	4416	153	589	739	619	30
15-24	1153	1062	1153	0	924	735	930	6	229	327	224	-5
25-44	2426	2588	2557	131	2227	2340	2327	100	199	247	230	31
45 +	1273	1340	1326	53	1112	1175	1159	47	161	165	165	4
45-54	744	790	779	35	670	714	702	32	74	76	77	3
55-64	454	476	476	22	394	411	413	19	59	65	63	4
65 +	75	73	70	-5	47	49	45	-2	27	24	25	-2

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87- July 88	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87- July 88
Males	135	113	118	-17	4.7	3.9	4.0	-0.7
15-24	53	46	43	-10	8.0	7.6	6.6	-1.4
15-19	29	20	26	-3	10.5	8.1	9.1	-1.4
20-24	24	26	17	-7	6.2	7.2	4.8	-1.4
25-44	58	48	54	-4	4.1	3.3	3.7	-0.4
25-34	38	28	33	-5	5.0	3.5	4.2	-0.8
35-44	20	20	20	0	3.1	2.9	3.1	0.0
45 +	24	20	21	-3	3.0	2.4	2.6	-0.4
45-54	13	10	11	-2	3.0	2.2	2.3	-0.7
55-64	10	9	10	0	3.5	3.0	3.1	-0.4
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	161	126	136	-25	7.1	5.4	5.8	-1.3
15-24	53	41	43	-10	8.9	7.5	7.4	-1.5
15-19	29	16	21	-8	11.0	7.2	8.0	-3.0
20-24	24	25	22	-2	7.2	7.7	6.9	-0.3
25-44	75	61	66	-9	6.6	5.0	5.4	-1.2
25-34	47	38	37	-10	7.5	5.8	5.7	-1.8
35-44	28	23	29	1	5.4	4.0	5.1	-0.3
45 +	33	24	27	-6	6.2	4.3	4.8	-1.4
45-54	19	18	20	1	5.9	5.0	5.7	-0.2
55-64	12	7	7	-5	6.8	3.6	3.7	-3.1
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	296	240	254	-42	5.8	4.6	4.8	-1.0
15-24	106	86	87	-19	8.4	7.5	7.0	-1.4
15-19	58	35	47	-11	10.8	7.7	8.5	-2.3
20-24	48	51	40	-8	6.7	7.4	5.8	-0.9
25-44	133	109	120	-13	5.2	4.0	4.5	-0.7
25-34	85	66	70	-15	6.1	4.6	4.8	-1.3
35-44	48	43	50	2	4.1	3.4	4.0	-0.1
45 +	57	44	48	-9	4.3	3.2	3.5	-0.8
45-54	33	28	30	-3	4.2	3.4	3.7	-0.5
55-64	23	16	16	-7	4.7	3.2	3.3	-1.4
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87 - July 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4852	4989	5035	183
Agriculture	145	122	125	-20
Other Primary	74	58	67	-7
Manufacturing	1062	1038	1073	11
Construction	312	316	323	11
Transportation	317	341	338	21
Trade	786	872	865	79
Finance	317	346	339	22
Service	1536	1576	1581	45
Public Administration	302	321	324	22
Occupation	4852	4989	5035	183
Managerial	1391	1476	1495	104
Clerical	814	874	883	69
Sales	436	467	465	29
Service	600	622	632	32
Primary	207	176	191	-16
Processing	725	718	718	-7
Construction	299	282	283	-16
Transportation	176	182	175	-1
Materials Handling	203	193	194	-9



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87-July 88	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87-July 88
All Ages	296	240	254	-42	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	100	94	110	10	33.8	39.2	43.3	9.5
5 - 13 weeks	97	67	72	-25	32.8	27.9	28.3	-4.4
14 weeks and over	90	68	64	-26	30.4	28.3	25.2	-5.2
Average duration (weeks)	15.4	13.8	12.2	-3.2	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	106	86	87	-19	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	47	42	42	-5	44.3	48.8	48.3	3.9
5 - 13 weeks	36	24	31	-5	34.0	27.9	35.6	1.7
14 weeks and over	17	15	11	-6	16.0	17.4	12.6	-3.4
Average duration (weeks)	9.8	9.1	7.3	-2.5	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	133	109	120	-13	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	40	38	48	8	30.1	34.9	40.0	9.9
5 - 13 weeks	44	33	30	-14	33.1	30.3	25.0	-8.1
14 weeks and over	46	35	36	-10	34.6	32.1	30.0	-4.6
Average duration (weeks)	17.6	14.6	13.5	-4.1	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	57	44	48	-9	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	13	15	20	7	22.8	34.1	41.7	18.9
5 - 13 weeks	16	10	11	-5	28.1	22.7	22.9	-5.2
14 weeks and over	27	18	17	-10	47.4	40.9	35.4	-12.0
Average duration (weeks)	20.4	20.9	17.9	-2.5	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87 - July 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	58	35	47	-11
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	7.7	8.5	-2.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	29	18	27	-2
5 - 13 weeks	18	10	13	-5
14 weeks and over	7	4	5	-2
Average duration (weeks)	7.8	7.4	6.0	-1.8
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	48	51	40	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	7.4	5.8	-0.9
Duration				
4 weeks or less	18	23	14	-4
5 - 13 weeks	18	14	18	0
14 weeks and over	10	11	7	-3
Average duration (weeks)	12.1	10.2	8.8	-3.3

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87-July 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	455	459	461	6
Employment	426	439	440	14
Unemployment	29	20	22	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	4.3	4.7	-1.7
Sudbury				
Labour Force	71	71	73	2
Employment	63	64	64	1
Unemployment	8	7	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	10.1	11.5	0.0
Oshawa				
Labour Force	100	102	103	3
Employment	93	98	98	5
Unemployment	7	4	5	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	4.4	4.5	-2.3
Toronto				
Labour Force	1904	1942	1967	63
Employment	1816	1871	1883	67
Unemployment	88	71	84	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.6	3.7	4.3	-0.3
Hamilton				
Labour Force	318	320	326	8
Employment	298	303	310	12
Unemployment	19	17	16	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.1	5.4	4.9	-1.2
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	167	170	169	2
Employment	155	161	163	8
Unemployment	11	9	6	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	5.1	3.7	-3.2
London				
Labour Force	164	170	168	4
Employment	149	164	161	12
Unemployment	15	6	7	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.4	3.4	4.1	-5.3
Windsor				
Labour Force	125	138	142	17
Employment	115	128	131	16
Unemployment	9	10	11	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.6	7.8	0.2
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	177	185	188	11
Employment	168	173	179	11
Unemployment	9	12	9	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	6.4	4.6	-0.3
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	67	66	66	-1
Employment	62	63	62	0
Unemployment	5	4	4	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	5.3	6.7	-0.9



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	July 1987	June 1988	July 1988	Change July 87 - July 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5148	5229	5290	142
Employment	4852	4989	5035	183
Unemployment	296	240	254	-42
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	4.6	4.8	-1.0
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	258	255	268	10
Employment	218	215	226	8
Unemployment	40	40	42	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.6	15.6	15.6	0.0
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	66	67	68	2
Employment	59	61	61	2
Unemployment	7	6	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.6	9.2	10.5	-0.1
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	424	425	440	16
Employment	379	388	401	22
Unemployment	45	37	39	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.6	8.7	8.9	-1.7
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	341	341	345	4
Employment	298	302	306	8
Unemployment	43	39	40	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.5	11.5	11.6	-0.9
Quebec				
Labour Force	3453	3445	3501	48
Employment	3104	3149	3172	68
Unemployment	350	295	329	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.1	8.6	9.4	-0.7
Manitoba				
Labour Force	545	545	553	8
Employment	510	509	512	2
Unemployment	35	36	41	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	6.7	7.4	1.0
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	514	499	507	-7
Employment	475	468	473	-2
Unemployment	38	31	34	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.5	6.2	6.7	-0.8
Alberta				
Labour Force	1307	1324	1339	32
Employment	1181	1229	1230	49
Unemployment	125	95	109	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	7.2	8.1	-1.5
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1522	1537	1560	38
Employment	1344	1383	1404	60
Unemployment	178	154	157	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.7	10.0	10.0	-1.7
CANADA				
Labour Force	13577	13666	13872	295
Employment	12419	12693	12820	401
Unemployment	1158	973	1052	-106
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.5	7.1	7.6	-0.9



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**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	July 1988	August 1988	Change	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87- Aug. 88
<b>ONTARIO</b>							
	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7292	7417	7427	135
Males	-	-	-	3550	3614	3619	69
Females	-	-	-	3742	3803	3808	66
Labour Force	5148	5150	2	5142	5290	5277	135
Males	2839	2845	6	2867	2937	2928	61
Females	2309	2305	-4	2275	2352	2348	73
Participation Rate (%)	69.4	69.3	-0.1	70.5	71.3	71.0	0.5
Males	78.6	78.6	0.0	80.7	81.3	80.9	0.2
Females	60.7	60.5	-0.2	60.6	61.9	61.7	0.9
Employment	4891	4886	-5	4858	5035	5023	165
Males	2710	2720	10	2748	2819	2826	78
Females	2181	2166	-15	2110	2217	2196	86
Unemployment	257	264	7	284	254	254	-30
Males	129	125	-4	118	119	102	-16
Females	128	139	11	165	136	152	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.1	0.1	5.5	4.8	4.8	-0.7
Males	4.5	4.4	-0.1	4.1	4.0	3.5	-0.6
Females	5.5	6.0	0.5	7.3	5.8	6.5	-0.8
<b>CANADA</b>							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19852	20092	20115	263
Males	-	-	-	9701	9819	9831	130
Females	-	-	-	10151	10273	10285	134
Labour Force	13421	13436	15	13529	13872	13820	291
Males	7527	7513	-14	7694	7843	7784	90
Females	5894	5923	29	5835	6029	6037	202
Participation Rate (%)	66.8	66.8	0.0	68.2	69.0	68.7	0.5
Males	76.7	76.4	-0.3	79.3	79.9	79.2	-0.1
Females	57.4	57.6	0.2	57.5	58.7	58.7	1.2
Employment	12364	12367	3	12427	12820	12780	353
Males	6967	6970	3	7146	7313	7304	158
Females	5397	5397	0	5281	5507	5477	196
Unemployment	1057	1069	12	1102	1052	1040	-62
Males	560	543	-17	548	530	480	-68
Females	497	526	29	555	522	560	5
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	8.0	0.1	8.1	7.6	7.5	-0.6
Males	7.4	7.2	-0.2	7.1	6.8	6.2	-0.9
Females	8.4	8.9	0.5	9.5	8.7	9.3	-0.2



**2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO**

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Aug. 87- Aug. 88	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Aug. 87- Aug. 88	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Aug. 87- Aug. 88
<b>Males</b>	3550	3614	3619	1.9	80.7	81.3	80.9	0.2	2867	2937	2928	2.1
15-24	755	742	740	-2.0	85.5	87.6	86.1	0.7	646	650	637	-1.4
15-19	348	347	347	-0.3	75.9	82.2	79.3	4.5	264	286	275	4.2
20-24	407	395	393	-3.4	93.8	92.3	92.0	-1.9	382	364	362	-5.2
25-44	1470	1518	1522	3.5	97.1	96.6	96.5	-0.6	1428	1469	1469	2.9
25-34	797	825	827	3.8	96.8	96.9	96.2	-0.6	772	799	795	3.0
35-44	673	693	695	3.3	97.5	96.2	97.0	-0.5	656	667	674	2.7
45 +	1325	1354	1357	2.4	59.9	60.6	60.5	1.0	793	821	822	3.7
45-54	481	493	494	2.7	93.6	93.8	94.0	0.4	450	462	465	3.3
55-64	432	436	436	0.9	67.2	70.7	70.7	5.2	290	305	308	6.2
65 +	412	426	427	3.6	12.8	12.0	11.4	-10.9	53	51	49	-7.5
<b>Females</b>	3742	3803	3808	1.8	60.8	61.9	61.7	1.5	2275	2352	2346	3.2
15-24	727	713	711	-2.2	81.3	82.8	79.0	-2.8	591	590	562	-4.9
15-19	331	330	329	-0.6	76.2	79.9	75.2	-1.3	252	263	246	-1.6
20-24	396	383	381	-3.8	85.5	85.3	82.4	-3.6	339	326	314	-7.4
25-44	1512	1557	1561	3.2	75.9	77.7	78.7	3.7	1148	1210	1229	7.1
25-34	823	844	846	2.8	76.1	76.3	77.7	2.1	626	644	657	5.0
35-44	689	713	715	3.8	75.8	79.5	79.9	5.4	522	569	571	9.4
45 +	1503	1533	1537	2.3	35.7	36.0	36.3	1.7	536	553	559	4.1
45-54	485	497	499	2.9	68.6	69.9	70.9	3.4	333	347	353	6.0
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	38.1	40.0	40.5	6.3	175	184	187	6.9
65 +	557	575	577	3.6	4.9	3.6	3.1	-36.7	28	21	18	-35.7
<b>Both Sexes</b>	7292	7417	7427	1.9	70.5	71.3	71.0	0.7	5142	5290	5277	2.6
15-24	1482	1455	1451	-2.1	83.4	85.2	82.6	-1.0	1237	1240	1199	-3.1
15-19	679	677	676	-0.4	76.0	81.1	77.3	1.7	516	549	523	1.4
20-24	803	778	774	-3.6	89.7	88.8	87.3	-2.7	721	691	676	-6.2
25-44	2982	3075	3083	3.4	86.4	87.0	87.5	1.3	2575	2676	2698	4.6
25-34	1620	1669	1673	3.3	86.3	86.4	86.8	0.6	1397	1447	1453	4.0
35-44	1362	1406	1410	3.5	86.5	87.7	88.3	2.1	1178	1233	1245	5.7
45 +	2828	2867	2894	2.3	47.0	47.6	47.7	1.5	1329	1373	1380	3.8
45-54	966	990	993	2.8	81.1	81.8	82.4	1.6	784	809	816	4.3
55-64	892	897	897	0.6	52.2	54.9	55.2	5.7	465	492	495	6.5
65 +	969	1001	1004	3.6	8.3	7.2	6.6	-20.5	80	72	67	-16.3



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87- Aug. 88	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87- Aug. 88	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87- Aug. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2748	2819	2826	78	2627	2683	2691	64	121	135	136	15
15-24	596	607	598	2	518	520	507	-11	78	87	91	13
25-44	1378	1412	1425	47	1367	1396	1413	46	11	16	12	1
45 +	774	800	803	29	742	767	771	29	32	32	33	1
45-54	440	451	455	15	437	448	452	15	--	--	--	--
55-64	282	298	300	18	267	285	286	19	15	14	14	-1
65 +	53	50	48	-5	38	35	33	-5	15	15	15	0
Females	2110	2217	2196	86	1677	1733	1732	55	433	484	464	31
15-24	547	546	525	-22	415	410	390	-25	133	137	134	1
25-44	1059	1144	1143	84	882	931	945	63	178	213	199	21
45 +	503	526	528	25	380	392	397	17	122	134	131	9
45-54	317	328	333	16	244	254	263	19	73	74	70	-3
55-64	160	178	179	19	122	128	128	6	38	50	52	14
65 +	26	21	16	-10	15	10	7	-8	11	10	10	-1
Both Sexes	4858	5035	5023	165	4304	4416	4423	119	554	619	600	46
15-24	1143	1153	1123	-20	933	930	897	-36	211	224	226	15
25-44	2438	2557	2569	131	2249	2327	2358	109	188	230	211	23
45 +	1277	1326	1331	54	1122	1159	1168	46	155	165	163	8
45-54	757	779	788	31	680	702	715	35	76	77	73	-3
55-64	441	476	479	38	389	413	414	25	53	63	66	13
65 +	79	70	64	-15	53	45	39	-14	26	25	24	-2

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87- Aug. 88	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87- Aug. 88
Males	118	118	102	-16	4.1	4.0	3.5	-0.6
15-24	50	43	39	-11	7.7	6.6	6.1	-1.6
15-19	27	26	22	-5	10.4	9.1	7.8	-2.6
20-24	22	17	17	-5	5.9	4.8	4.7	-1.2
25-44	49	54	44	-5	3.5	3.7	3.0	-0.5
25-34	27	33	25	-2	3.5	4.2	3.1	-0.4
35-44	22	20	20	-2	3.4	3.1	2.9	-0.5
45 +	19	21	19	0	2.4	2.6	2.3	-0.1
45-54	10	11	10	0	2.3	2.3	2.0	-0.3
55-64	9	10	8	-1	3.0	3.1	2.7	-0.3
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	165	136	152	-13	7.3	5.8	6.5	-0.8
15-24	44	43	37	-7	7.4	7.4	6.6	-0.8
15-19	19	21	15	-4	7.4	8.0	6.2	-1.2
20-24	25	22	22	-3	7.4	6.9	6.9	-0.5
25-44	88	66	85	-3	7.7	5.4	6.9	-0.8
25-34	53	37	49	-4	8.5	5.7	7.5	-1.0
35-44	35	29	36	1	6.7	5.1	6.3	-0.4
45 +	33	27	30	-3	6.2	4.8	5.4	-0.8
45-54	16	20	21	5	4.9	5.7	5.9	1.0
55-64	15	7	7	-8	8.8	3.7	4.0	-4.8
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	284	254	254	-30	5.5	4.8	4.8	-0.7
15-24	94	87	76	-18	7.6	7.0	6.3	-1.3
15-19	46	47	37	-9	8.9	8.5	7.1	-1.8
20-24	47	40	39	-8	6.6	5.8	5.7	-0.9
25-44	138	120	129	-9	5.4	4.5	4.8	-0.6
25-34	81	70	74	-7	5.8	4.8	5.1	-0.7
35-44	57	50	56	-1	4.9	4.0	4.5	-0.4
45 +	52	48	49	-3	3.9	3.5	3.5	-0.4
45-54	27	30	30	3	3.4	3.7	3.7	0.3
55-64	24	16	16	-8	5.2	3.3	3.2	-2.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87 - Aug. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4858	5035	5023	165
Agriculture	151	125	122	-29
Other Primary	72	67	70	-2
Manufacturing	1081	1073	1058	-23
Construction	315	323	334	19
Transportation	330	338	341	11
Trade	779	865	854	75
Finance	313	339	331	18
Service	1512	1581	1595	83
Public Administration	305	324	318	13
Occupation	4858	5035	5023	165
Managerial	1390	1495	1515	125
Clerical	822	883	862	40
Sales	428	465	460	32
Service	596	632	620	24
Primary	208	191	191	-17
Processing	725	718	718	-7
Construction	310	283	295	-15
Transportation	176	175	172	-4
Materials Handling	204	194	190	-14



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87-Aug. 88	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87-Aug. 88
All Ages	284	254	254	-30	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	82	110	85	3	28.9	43.3	33.5	4.6
5 - 13 weeks	89	72	89	0	31.3	28.3	35.0	3.7
14 weeks and over	90	64	61	-29	31.7	25.2	24.0	-7.7
Average duration (weeks)	15.3	12.2	12.8	-2.5	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	94	87	76	-18	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	39	42	34	-5	41.5	48.3	44.7	3.2
5 - 13 weeks	29	31	28	-1	30.9	35.6	36.8	6.0
14 weeks and over	19	11	8	-11	20.2	12.6	10.5	-9.7
Average duration (weeks)	9.9	7.3	7.0	-2.9	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	138	120	129	-9	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	33	48	37	4	23.9	40.0	28.7	4.8
5 - 13 weeks	46	30	45	-1	33.3	25.0	34.9	1.6
14 weeks and over	48	36	37	-11	34.8	30.0	28.7	-6.1
Average duration (weeks)	16.7	13.5	14.3	-2.4	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	52	48	49	-3	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	10	20	14	4	19.2	41.7	28.6	9.3
5 - 13 weeks	14	11	15	1	26.9	22.9	30.6	3.7
14 weeks and over	23	17	16	-7	44.2	35.4	32.7	-11.6
Average duration (weeks)	21.5	17.9	17.8	-3.7	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87 - Aug. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	46	47	37	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	8.5	7.1	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	23	27	20	-3
5 - 13 weeks	14	13	11	-3
14 weeks and over	5	5	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	6.6	6.0	5.4	-1.2
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	47	40	39	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	5.8	5.7	-0.9
Duration				
4 weeks or less	16	14	14	-2
5 - 13 weeks	14	18	17	3
14 weeks and over	14	7	5	-9
Average duration (weeks)	13.0	8.8	8.4	-4.6

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



**B. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO**

METROPOLITAN AREA	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87-Aug. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	451	461	472	21
Employment	419	440	443	24
Unemployment	32	22	29	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	4.7	6.1	-1.0
Sudbury				
Labour Force	68	73	68	0
Employment	60	64	63	3
Unemployment	8	8	5	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.6	11.5	8.0	-3.6
Oshawa				
Labour Force	100	103	106	6
Employment	92	98	101	9
Unemployment	8	5	5	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	4.5	4.6	-3.0
Toronto				
Labour Force	1898	1967	1951	53
Employment	1815	1883	1870	55
Unemployment	83	84	81	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4	4.3	4.2	-0.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	323	326	331	8
Employment	303	310	315	12
Unemployment	20	16	16	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	4.9	4.8	-1.5
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	166	169	169	3
Employment	154	163	159	5
Unemployment	12	6	10	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.3	3.7	5.9	-1.4
London				
Labour Force	172	168	171	-1
Employment	160	161	164	4
Unemployment	12	7	7	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	4.1	4.2	-2.8
Windsor				
Labour Force	124	142	137	13
Employment	116	131	129	13
Unemployment	8	11	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.4	7.8	6.2	-0.2
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	178	188	193	15
Employment	166	179	184	18
Unemployment	13	9	9	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	4.6	4.6	-2.5
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	69	66	68	-1
Employment	64	62	64	0
Unemployment	5	4	--	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	6.7	--	--



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	August 1987	July 1988	August 1988	Change Aug. 87 - Aug. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5142	5290	5277	135
Employment	4858	5035	5023	165
Unemployment	284	254	254	-30
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.5	4.8	4.8	-0.7
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	253	268	261	8
Employment	213	226	220	7
Unemployment	40	42	41	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.8	15.6	15.7	-0.1
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	66	68	67	1
Employment	59	61	61	2
Unemployment	7	7	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	10.5	8.8	-1.6
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	426	440	435	9
Employment	382	401	394	12
Unemployment	44	39	41	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	8.9	9.4	-1.0
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	341	345	346	5
Employment	304	306	309	5
Unemployment	37	40	37	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.0	11.6	10.7	-0.3
Quebec				
Labour Force	3423	3501	3488	65
Employment	3094	3172	3161	67
Unemployment	329	329	327	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.4	9.4	-0.2
Manitoba				
Labour Force	551	553	552	1
Employment	512	512	510	-2
Unemployment	39	41	42	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	7.4	7.7	0.6
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	511	507	507	-4
Employment	475	473	472	-3
Unemployment	36	34	34	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.1	6.7	6.8	-0.3
Alberta				
Labour Force	1309	1339	1331	22
Employment	1184	1230	1224	40
Unemployment	125	109	107	-18
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.5	8.1	8.0	-1.5
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1508	1560	1557	49
Employment	1346	1404	1406	60
Unemployment	161	157	151	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	10.0	9.7	-1
CANADA				
Labour Force	13529	13872	13820	291
Employment	12427	12820	12780	353
Unemployment	1102	1052	1040	-62
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	7.6	7.5	-0.6



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87- Sept.88
<b>ONTARIO</b>							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7307	7427	7437	130
Males	-	-	-	3558	3619	3624	66
Females	-	-	-	3749	3808	3813	64
Labour Force	5150	5155	5	5012	5277	5121	109
Males	2845	2837	-8	2779	2928	2811	32
Females	2305	2318	13	2233	2348	2310	77
Participation Rate (%)	69.3	69.3	0.0	68.6	71.0	68.9	0.3
Males	78.6	78.3	-0.3	78.1	80.9	77.6	-0.5
Females	60.5	60.8	0.3	59.6	61.7	60.6	1.0
Employment	4886	4898	12	4740	5023	4884	144
Males	2720	2706	-14	2656	2826	2703	47
Females	2166	2192	26	2084	2196	2180	96
Unemployment	264	257	-7	272	254	237	-35
Males	125	131	6	123	102	108	-15
Females	139	126	-13	149	152	129	-20
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.1	5.0	-0.1	5.4	4.8	4.6	-0.8
Males	4.4	4.6	0.2	4.4	3.5	3.8	-0.6
Females	6.0	5.4	-0.6	6.7	6.5	5.6	-1.1
<b>CANADA</b>							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19878	20115	20135	257
Males	-	-	-	9714	9831	9840	126
Females	-	-	-	10164	10285	10295	131
Labour Force	13436	13423	-13	13153	13820	13406	253
Males	7513	7516	3	7431	7784	7505	74
Females	5923	5907	-16	5722	6037	5901	179
Participation Rate (%)	66.8	66.7	-0.1	66.2	68.7	66.6	0.4
Males	76.4	76.4	0.0	76.5	79.2	76.3	-0.2
Females	57.6	57.4	-0.2	56.3	58.7	57.3	1.0
Employment	12367	12375	8	12123	12780	12445	322
Males	6970	6958	-12	6917	7304	7037	120
Females	5397	5417	20	5206	5477	5408	202
Unemployment	1069	1048	-21	1030	1040	960	-70
Males	543	558	15	514	480	468	-46
Females	526	490	-36	515	560	492	-23
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.0	7.8	-0.2	7.8	7.5	7.2	-0.6
Males	7.2	7.4	0.2	6.9	6.2	6.2	-0.7
Females	8.9	8.3	-0.6	9.0	9.3	8.3	-0.7



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
			% Change				% Change				% Change	
	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Sept.87- Sept.88	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Sept.87- Sept.88	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Sept.87- Sept.88
Males	3558	3619	3624	1.9	78.1	80.9	77.6	-0.6	2779	2928	2811	1.2
15-24	754	740	739	-2.0	71.2	86.1	70.3	-1.3	537	637	519	-3.4
15-19	348	347	347	-0.3	56.6	79.3	56.5	-0.2	197	275	196	-0.5
20-24	406	393	392	-3.4	83.7	92.0	82.4	-1.6	340	362	323	-5.0
25-44	1475	1522	1526	3.5	96.6	96.5	96.1	-0.5	1426	1469	1466	2.8
25-34	801	827	829	3.5	96.1	96.2	96.0	-0.1	770	795	795	3.2
35-44	675	695	697	3.3	97.2	97.0	96.2	-1.0	656	674	671	2.3
45 +	1329	1357	1359	2.3	61.5	60.5	60.8	-1.1	817	822	826	1.1
45-54	482	494	495	2.7	94.7	94.0	93.5	-1.3	457	465	463	1.3
55-64	433	436	436	0.7	68.6	70.7	71.1	3.6	297	308	310	4.4
65 +	414	427	428	3.4	15.2	11.4	12.4	-18.4	63	49	53	-15.9
Females	3749	3808	3813	1.7	59.6	61.7	60.6	1.7	2233	2348	2310	3.4
15-24	726	711	709	-2.3	68.8	79.0	68.6	-0.3	499	562	487	-2.4
15-19	331	329	329	-0.6	57.4	75.2	59.9	4.4	190	248	197	3.7
20-24	395	381	380	-3.8	78.3	82.4	76.1	-2.8	309	314	289	-6.5
25-44	1517	1561	1564	3.1	77.8	78.7	79.7	2.4	1180	1229	1247	5.7
25-34	825	846	847	2.7	77.3	77.7	77.8	0.6	638	657	659	3.3
35-44	692	715	717	3.6	78.3	79.9	82.1	4.9	542	571	588	8.5
45 +	1506	1537	1539	2.2	36.8	36.3	37.4	1.6	554	558	576	4.0
45-54	486	499	500	2.9	70.2	70.9	71.8	2.3	341	353	359	5.3
55-64	460	461	461	0.2	40.2	40.5	42.6	6.0	185	187	196	5.9
65 +	559	577	579	3.6	4.9	3.1	3.6	-26.5	27	18	21	-22.2
Both Sexes	7307	7427	7437	1.8	68.6	71.0	68.9	0.4	5012	5277	5121	2.2
15-24	1480	1451	1448	-2.2	70.0	82.6	69.4	-0.9	1036	1199	1006	-2.9
15-19	679	676	676	-0.4	57.0	77.3	58.2	2.1	387	523	393	1.6
20-24	801	774	772	-3.6	81.0	87.3	79.3	-2.1	649	676	612	-5.7
25-44	2992	3083	3090	3.3	87.1	87.5	87.8	0.8	2605	2698	2713	4.1
25-34	1626	1673	1676	3.1	86.6	86.8	86.8	0.2	1408	1453	1454	3.3
35-44	1367	1410	1414	3.4	87.6	88.3	89.0	1.6	1198	1245	1259	5.1
45 +	2835	2894	2899	2.3	48.4	47.7	48.4	0.0	1371	1380	1402	2.3
45-54	969	993	995	2.7	82.4	82.4	82.6	0.2	798	818	822	3.0
55-64	893	897	897	0.4	54.0	55.2	56.5	4.6	482	495	506	5.0
65 +	973	1004	1007	3.5	9.3	6.6	7.3	-21.5	90	67	74	-17.8



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
			Change				Change				Change	
	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Sept. 87- Sept. 88	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Sept. 87- Sept. 88	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Sept. 87- Sept. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2656	2826	2703	47	2449	2691	2482	33	208	136	221	13
15-24	493	598	473	-20	348	507	309	-39	145	91	164	19
25-44	1367	1425	1424	57	1348	1413	1408	60	19	12	16	-3
45 +	796	803	807	11	753	771	765	12	44	33	41	-3
45-54	444	455	454	10	438	452	449	11	6	--	5	--
55-64	289	300	299	10	274	286	280	6	16	14	19	3
65 +	63	48	53	-10	41	33	36	-5	22	15	17	-5
Females	2084	2196	2180	96	1577	1732	1630	53	507	464	551	44
15-24	465	525	446	-19	277	390	259	-18	187	134	187	0
25-44	1096	1143	1183	87	903	945	968	65	193	199	215	22
45 +	523	528	551	28	397	397	403	6	127	131	149	22
45-54	324	333	341	17	254	263	260	6	70	70	81	11
55-64	174	179	190	16	129	128	134	5	45	52	56	11
65 +	26	16	20	-6	14	7	9	-5	12	10	11	-1
Both Sexes	4740	5023	4884	144	4026	4423	4112	86	715	600	772	57
15-24	958	1123	918	-40	625	897	567	-58	332	226	351	19
25-44	2463	2569	2607	144	2251	2358	2376	125	212	211	231	19
45 +	1320	1331	1358	38	1150	1168	1169	19	171	163	190	19
45-54	768	788	796	28	692	715	709	17	76	73	86	10
55-64	463	479	489	26	403	414	414	11	61	66	75	14
65 +	88	64	73	-15	55	39	45	-10	33	24	28	-5

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87- Sept.88	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87- Sept.88
Males	123	102	108	-15	4.4	3.5	3.8	-0.6
15-24	44	39	46	2	8.2	6.1	8.9	0.7
15-19	27	22	23	-4	13.5	7.8	11.7	-1.8
20-24	18	17	23	5	5.2	4.7	7.2	2.0
25-44	59	44	42	-17	4.1	3.0	2.9	-1.2
25-34	37	25	24	-13	4.7	3.1	3.0	-1.7
35-44	22	20	18	-4	3.4	2.9	2.7	-0.7
45 +	20	19	19	-1	2.5	2.3	2.3	-0.2
45-54	13	10	9	-4	2.7	2.0	1.9	-0.8
55-64	7	8	10	3	2.5	2.7	3.4	0.9
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	149	152	129	-20	6.7	6.5	5.6	-1.1
15-24	35	37	41	6	6.9	6.6	8.4	1.5
15-19	15	15	21	6	7.9	6.2	10.8	2.9
20-24	20	22	20	0	6.4	6.9	6.8	0.4
25-44	84	85	64	-20	7.1	6.9	5.1	-2.0
25-34	49	49	36	-13	7.6	7.5	5.4	-2.2
35-44	35	36	28	-7	6.5	6.3	4.8	-1.7
45 +	31	30	25	-6	5.5	5.4	4.3	-1.2
45-54	18	21	17	-1	5.1	5.9	4.9	-0.2
55-64	11	7	6	-5	6.1	4.0	3.2	-2.9
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	272	254	237	-35	5.4	4.8	4.6	-0.8
15-24	79	76	87	8	7.6	6.3	8.7	1.1
15-19	41	37	44	3	10.7	7.1	11.3	0.6
20-24	37	39	43	6	5.7	5.7	7.0	1.3
25-44	142	129	106	-36	5.5	4.8	3.9	-1.6
25-34	85	74	60	-25	6.0	5.1	4.1	-1.9
35-44	57	56	46	-11	4.8	4.5	3.7	-1.1
45 +	51	49	44	-7	3.7	3.5	3.1	-0.6
45-54	30	30	26	-4	3.8	3.7	3.2	-0.6
55-64	19	16	17	-2	3.9	3.2	3.3	-0.6
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87-Sept.88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4740	5023	4884	144
Agriculture	126	122	122	-4
Other Primary	67	70	67	0
Manufacturing	1042	1058	1018	-24
Construction	292	334	323	31
Transportation	335	341	325	-10
Trade	790	854	843	53
Finance	314	331	325	11
Service	1505	1595	1578	73
Public Administration	270	318	282	12
Occupation	4740	5023	4884	144
Managerial	1364	1515	1480	116
Clerical	786	862	827	41
Sales	433	460	463	30
Service	609	620	601	-8
Primary	167	191	176	9
Processing	720	718	706	-14
Construction	292	295	277	-15
Transportation	180	172	170	-10
Materials Handling	188	190	182	-6



## 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87-Sept.88	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87-Sept.88
All Ages	272	254	237	-35	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	118	85	114	-4	43.4	33.5	48.1	4.7
5 - 13 weeks	66	89	57	-9	24.3	35.0	24.1	-0.2
14 weeks and over	83	61	60	-23	30.5	24.0	25.3	-5.2
Average duration (weeks)	14.0	12.8	11.7	-2.3	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	79	76	87	8	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	52	34	59	7	65.8	44.7	67.8	2.0
5 - 13 weeks	15	28	15	0	19.0	36.8	17.2	-1.7
14 weeks and over	12	8	10	-2	15.2	10.5	11.5	-3.7
Average duration (weeks)	7.2	7.0	6.5	-0.7	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	142	129	106	-36	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	50	37	39	-11	35.2	28.7	36.8	1.6
5 - 13 weeks	39	45	30	-9	27.5	34.9	28.3	0.8
14 weeks and over	51	37	34	-17	35.9	28.7	32.1	-3.8
Average duration (weeks)	15.8	14.3	13.7	-2.1	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	51	49	44	-7	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	17	14	15	-2	33.3	28.6	34.1	0.8
5 - 13 weeks	13	15	12	-1	25.5	30.6	27.3	1.8
14 weeks and over	20	16	16	-4	39.2	32.7	36.4	-2.9
Average duration (weeks)	19.6	17.8	17.2	-2.4	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE  
ONTARIO \*

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87-Sept.88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	41	37	44	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	7.1	11.3	0.6
Duration				
4 weeks or less	30	20	35	5
5 - 13 weeks	9	11	6	-3
14 weeks and over	--	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	5.9	5.4	4.7	-1.2
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	37	39	43	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.7	5.7	7.0	1.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	14	25	3
5 - 13 weeks	6	17	9	3
14 weeks and over	9	5	6	-3
Average duration (weeks)	8.7	8.4	8.6	-0.1

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87-Sept.88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	429	472	466	37
Employment	406	443	444	38
Unemployment	22	29	22	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	6.1	4.7	-0.5
Sudbury				
Labour Force	67	68	66	-1
Employment	59	63	60	1
Unemployment	8	5	6	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.5	8.0	8.9	-2.6
Oshawa				
Labour Force	99	106	104	5
Employment	94	101	99	5
Unemployment	5	5	6	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.3	4.6	5.5	0.2
Toronto				
Labour Force	1883	1951	1911	28
Employment	1793	1870	1843	50
Unemployment	90	81	68	-22
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.8	4.2	3.6	-1.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	311	331	318	7
Employment	293	315	301	8
Unemployment	18	16	17	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	4.8	5.3	-0.5
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	158	169	156	-2
Employment	148	159	150	2
Unemployment	10	10	7	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	5.9	4.3	-1.9
London				
Labour Force	169	171	167	-2
Employment	156	164	157	1
Unemployment	13	7	10	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	4.2	5.8	-1.9
Windsor				
Labour Force	126	137	135	9
Employment	115	129	126	11
Unemployment	11	8	10	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	6.2	7.1	-1.9
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	175	193	186	11
Employment	165	184	180	15
Unemployment	10	9	5	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.6	4.6	2.9	-2.7
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	66	68	65	-1
Employment	61	64	62	1
Unemployment	5	--	4	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	--	5.4	-1.6



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Sept. 1987	August 1988	Sept. 1988	Change Sept.87-Sept.88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5012	5277	5121	109
Employment	4740	5023	4884	144
Unemployment	272	254	237	-35
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	4.8	4.6	-0.8
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	237	261	240	3
Employment	201	220	204	3
Unemployment	36	41	36	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.3	15.7	15.1	-0.2
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	62	67	64	2
Employment	55	61	58	3
Unemployment	7	6	6	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	8.8	9.8	-1.0
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	411	435	419	8
Employment	371	394	380	9
Unemployment	40	41	39	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.7	9.4	9.4	-0.3
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	327	346	333	6
Employment	292	309	297	5
Unemployment	35	37	36	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.7	10.7	10.9	0.2
Quebec				
Labour Force	3320	3488	3400	80
Employment	3010	3161	3108	98
Unemployment	310	327	292	-18
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.3	9.4	8.6	-0.7
Manitoba				
Labour Force	540	552	543	3
Employment	504	510	500	-4
Unemployment	36	42	43	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.6	7.7	7.9	1.3
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	497	507	492	-5
Employment	468	472	460	-8
Unemployment	29	34	32	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.8	6.8	6.5	0.7
Alberta				
Labour Force	1271	1331	1292	21
Employment	1159	1224	1201	42
Unemployment	112	107	91	-21
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.8	8.0	7.0	-1.8
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1476	1557	1501	25
Employment	1322	1406	1354	32
Unemployment	154	151	148	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	9.7	9.8	-0.6
CANADA				
Labour Force	13153	13820	13406	253
Employment	12123	12780	12445	322
Unemployment	1030	1040	960	-70
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.5	7.2	-0.6



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88
<b>ONTARIO</b>							
(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7322	7437	7447	125
Males	-	-	-	3566	3624	3629	63
Females	-	-	-	3756	3813	3818	62
Labour Force	5155	5156	1	5032	5121	5121	89
Males	2837	2830	-7	2798	2811	2806	8
Females	2318	2326	8	2234	2310	2315	81
Participation Rate (%)	69.3	69.2	-0.1	68.7	68.9	68.8	0.1
Males	78.3	78.0	-0.3	78.5	77.6	77.3	-1.2
Females	60.8	60.9	0.1	59.5	60.6	60.6	1.1
Employment	4898	4899	1	4769	4884	4889	120
Males	2706	2697	-9	2673	2703	2692	19
Females	2192	2202	10	2096	2180	2197	101
Unemployment	257	257	0	262	237	232	-30
Males	131	133	2	125	108	114	-11
Females	126	124	-2	137	129	118	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.0	0.0	5.2	4.6	4.5	-0.7
Males	4.6	4.7	0.1	4.5	3.8	4.1	-0.4
Females	5.4	5.3	-0.1	6.1	5.6	5.1	-1.0
<b>CANADA</b>							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19902	20135	20155	253
Males	-	-	-	9726	9840	9850	124
Females	-	-	-	10176	10295	10305	129
Labour Force	13423	13440	17	13162	13406	13400	238
Males	7516	7523	7	7438	7505	7497	59
Females	5907	5917	10	5724	5901	5903	179
Participation Rate (%)	66.7	66.7	0.0	66.1	66.6	66.5	0.4
Males	76.4	76.4	0.0	76.5	76.3	76.1	-0.4
Females	57.4	57.4	0.0	56.3	57.3	57.3	1.0
Employment	12375	12379	4	12162	12445	12437	275
Males	6958	6942	-16	6927	7037	6994	67
Females	5417	5437	20	5236	5408	5444	208
Unemployment	1048	1061	13	1000	960	963	-37
Males	558	581	23	511	468	503	-8
Females	490	480	-10	488	492	460	-28
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.9	0.1	7.6	7.2	7.2	-0.4
Males	7.4	7.7	0.3	6.9	6.2	6.7	-0.2
Females	8.3	8.1	-0.2	8.5	8.3	7.8	-0.7



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	% Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	% Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	% Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88
Males	3566	3624	3629	1.8	78.5	77.6	77.3	-1.5	2798	2811	2806	0.3
15-24	754	739	737	-2.3	74.1	70.3	70.0	-5.5	558	519	516	-7.5
15-19	348	347	347	-0.3	59.1	56.5	57.5	-2.7	206	196	199	-3.4
20-24	406	392	391	-3.7	86.9	82.4	81.0	-6.8	353	323	317	-10.2
25-44	1480	1526	1529	3.3	96.3	96.1	95.6	-0.7	1426	1466	1462	2.5
25-34	804	829	831	3.4	95.6	96.0	95.3	-0.3	769	795	791	2.9
35-44	677	697	699	3.2	97.2	96.2	95.9	-1.3	658	671	670	1.8
45 +	1331	1359	1362	2.3	61.1	60.8	60.9	-0.3	814	826	829	1.8
45-54	483	495	496	2.7	93.9	93.5	93.9	0.0	454	463	466	2.6
55-64	433	436	436	0.7	68.6	71.1	71.2	3.8	297	310	311	4.7
65 +	415	428	429	3.4	15.1	12.4	12.1	-19.9	63	53	52	-17.5
Females	3756	3813	3818	1.7	59.5	60.6	60.6	1.8	2234	2310	2315	3.6
15-24	725	709	708	-2.3	69.2	68.6	68.1	-1.6	502	487	482	-4.0
15-19	331	329	329	-0.6	59.0	59.9	58.7	-0.5	196	197	193	-1.5
20-24	394	380	379	-3.8	77.8	76.1	76.2	-2.1	307	289	289	-5.9
25-44	1522	1564	1568	3.0	77.2	79.7	80.5	4.3	1174	1247	1262	7.5
25-34	828	847	849	2.5	75.9	77.8	78.7	3.7	629	659	668	6.2
35-44	694	717	719	3.6	78.7	82.1	82.7	5.1	546	588	594	8.8
45 +	1509	1539	1542	2.2	36.9	37.4	37.0	0.3	557	576	570	2.3
45-54	487	500	501	2.9	70.7	71.8	71.4	1.0	344	359	358	4.1
55-64	461	461	461	0.0	40.4	42.6	41.4	2.5	186	196	190	2.2
65 +	561	579	580	3.4	4.8	3.6	3.8	-20.8	27	21	22	-18.5
Both Sexes	7322	7437	7447	1.7	68.7	68.9	68.8	0.1	5032	5121	5121	1.8
15-24	1479	1448	1446	-2.2	71.7	69.4	69.0	-3.8	1061	1006	998	-5.9
15-19	679	676	676	-0.4	59.1	58.2	58.1	-1.7	401	393	392	-2.2
20-24	800	772	770	-3.8	82.4	79.3	78.6	-4.6	659	612	606	-8.0
25-44	3002	3090	3097	3.2	86.6	87.8	87.9	1.5	2601	2713	2724	4.7
25-34	1631	1676	1680	3.0	85.6	86.8	86.9	1.5	1397	1454	1459	4.4
35-44	1371	1414	1418	3.4	87.8	89.0	89.2	1.6	1203	1259	1264	5.1
45 +	2840	2899	2903	2.2	48.3	48.4	48.2	-0.2	1371	1402	1399	2.0
45-54	971	995	997	2.7	82.3	82.6	82.6	0.4	798	822	824	3.3
55-64	894	897	897	0.3	54.0	56.5	55.9	3.5	483	506	501	3.7
65 +	976	1007	1010	3.5	9.2	7.3	7.4	-19.6	89	74	74	-16.9



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2673	2703	2692	19	2448	2482	2475	27	225	221	217	-8
15-24	506	473	468	-38	340	309	303	-37	165	164	165	0
25-44	1376	1424	1415	39	1354	1408	1398	44	22	16	17	-5
45 +	791	807	809	18	754	765	774	20	38	41	35	-3
45-54	441	454	456	15	436	449	452	16	5	5	4	-1
55-64	288	299	302	14	274	280	287	13	14	19	14	0
65 +	62	53	51	-11	43	36	34	-9	19	17	17	-2
Females	2096	2180	2197	101	1592	1630	1632	40	504	551	564	60
15-24	463	446	447	-16	273	259	251	-22	190	187	195	5
25-44	1105	1183	1198	93	917	968	977	60	187	215	222	35
45 +	528	551	552	24	402	403	404	2	127	149	147	20
45-54	328	341	345	17	256	260	264	8	71	81	81	10
55-64	175	190	185	10	133	134	132	-1	42	56	53	11
65 +	26	20	22	-4	12	9	9	-3	13	11	13	0
Both Sexes	4769	4884	4889	120	4041	4112	4107	66	729	772	782	53
15-24	969	918	915	-54	614	567	555	-59	355	351	360	5
25-44	2481	2607	2613	132	2271	2376	2375	104	209	231	239	30
45 +	1319	1358	1360	41	1156	1169	1177	21	165	190	183	18
45-54	769	796	801	32	693	709	716	23	76	86	85	9
55-64	463	489	487	24	407	414	419	12	56	75	68	12
65 +	87	73	73	-14	55	45	43	-12	32	28	30	-2

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87- Oct. 88
Males	125	108	114	-11	4.5	3.8	4.1	-0.4
15-24	52	46	48	-4	9.4	8.9	9.2	-0.2
15-19	28	23	24	-4	13.5	11.7	11.9	-1.6
20-24	25	23	24	-1	7.0	7.2	7.6	0.6
25-44	50	42	47	-3	3.5	2.9	3.2	-0.3
25-34	31	24	31	0	4.0	3.0	3.9	-0.1
35-44	19	18	16	-3	2.9	2.7	2.4	-0.5
45 +	23	19	20	-3	2.8	2.3	2.4	-0.4
45-54	13	9	10	-3	2.9	1.9	2.2	-0.7
55-64	9	10	9	0	2.9	3.4	2.9	0.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	137	129	118	-19	6.1	5.6	5.1	-1.0
15-24	39	41	35	-4	7.8	8.4	7.4	-0.4
15-19	21	21	15	-6	10.5	10.8	7.6	-2.9
20-24	18	20	21	3	6.0	6.8	7.2	1.2
25-44	70	64	64	-6	5.9	5.1	5.0	-0.9
25-34	42	36	33	-9	6.7	5.4	5.0	-1.7
35-44	27	28	30	3	5.0	4.8	5.1	0.1
45 +	29	25	19	-10	5.1	4.3	3.3	-1.8
45-54	17	17	13	-4	4.9	4.9	3.6	-1.3
55-64	11	6	6	-5	5.9	3.2	2.9	-3.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	262	237	232	-30	5.2	4.6	4.5	-0.7
15-24	91	87	83	-8	8.6	8.7	8.3	-0.3
15-19	48	44	38	-10	12.1	11.3	9.7	-2.4
20-24	43	43	45	2	6.5	7.0	7.4	0.9
25-44	120	106	110	-10	4.6	3.9	4.1	-0.5
25-34	73	60	64	-9	5.2	4.1	4.4	-0.8
35-44	47	46	47	0	3.9	3.7	3.7	-0.2
45 +	51	44	39	-12	3.7	3.1	2.8	-0.9
45-54	30	26	23	-7	3.7	3.2	2.8	-0.9
55-64	20	17	14	-6	4.1	3.3	2.9	-1.2
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87-Oct. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4769	4884	4889	120
Agriculture	121	122	108	-13
Other Primary	60	67	65	5
Manufacturing	1065	1018	1035	-30
Construction	303	323	314	11
Transportation	323	325	329	6
Trade	817	843	850	33
Finance	299	325	316	17
Service	1514	1578	1589	75
Public Administration	268	282	282	14
Occupation	4769	4884	4889	120
Managerial	1393	1480	1499	106
Clerical	775	827	842	67
Sales	435	463	446	11
Service	608	601	605	-3
Primary	160	176	154	-6
Processing	739	706	709	-30
Construction	286	277	280	-6
Transportation	172	170	168	-4
Materials Handling	203	182	185	-18



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87-Oct. 88	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87-Oct. 88
All Ages	262	237	232	-30	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	99	114	97	-2	37.8	48.1	41.8	4.0
5 - 13 weeks	81	57	65	-16	30.9	24.1	28.0	-2.9
14 weeks and over	78	60	67	-11	29.8	25.3	28.9	-0.9
Average duration (weeks)	13.9	11.7	12.7	-1.2	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	91	87	83	-8	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	41	59	46	5	45.1	67.8	55.4	10.4
5 - 13 weeks	37	15	24	-13	40.7	17.2	28.9	-11.7
14 weeks and over	13	10	12	-1	14.3	11.5	14.5	0.2
Average duration (weeks)	9.1	6.5	7.0	-2.1	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	120	106	110	-10	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	41	39	41	0	34.2	36.8	37.3	3.1
5 - 13 weeks	32	30	30	-2	26.7	28.3	27.3	0.6
14 weeks and over	44	34	38	-6	36.7	32.1	34.5	-2.1
Average duration (weeks)	15.3	13.7	14.0	-1.3	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	51	44	39	-12	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	17	15	11	-6	33.3	34.1	28.2	-5.1
5 - 13 weeks	12	12	11	-1	23.5	27.3	28.2	4.7
14 weeks and over	20	16	18	-2	39.2	36.4	46.2	6.9
Average duration (weeks)	19.4	17.2	20.7	1.3	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct.87-Oct.88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	48	44	38	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.1	11.3	9.7	-2.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	22	35	22	0
5 - 13 weeks	23	6	13	-10
14 weeks and over	--	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	7.3	4.7	5.5	-1.8
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	13	*	10	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.9	*	10.9	-0.0
Duration				
4 weeks or less	8	*	5	-3
5 - 13 weeks	--	*	4	--
14 weeks and over	--	*	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	9.7	*	6.8	-2.9
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	43	43	45	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	7.0	7.4	0.9
Duration				
4 weeks or less	19	25	23	4
5 - 13 weeks	14	9	11	-3
14 weeks and over	10	6	9	-1
Average duration (weeks)	11.2	8.6	8.4	-2.8
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	39	*	41	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	*	7.6	0.9
Duration				
4 weeks or less	18	*	21	3
5 - 13 weeks	13	*	10	-3
14 weeks and over	9	*	9	0
Average duration (weeks)	11.4	*	8.7	-2.7

\* Estimates of youth unemployment by non-student status are not provided for the months May to September inclusive.



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87-Oct. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	441	466	475	34
Employment	412	444	454	42
Unemployment	30	22	21	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.7	4.7	4.4	-2.3
Sudbury				
Labour Force	65	66	66	1
Employment	59	60	59	0
Unemployment	7	6	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	8.9	10.1	-0.3
Oshawa				
Labour Force	101	104	100	-1
Employment	97	99	95	-2
Unemployment	--	6	5	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	--	5.5	4.9	--
Toronto				
Labour Force	1875	1911	1914	39
Employment	1802	1843	1854	52
Unemployment	73	68	61	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9	3.6	3.2	-0.7
Hamilton				
Labour Force	319	318	326	7
Employment	303	301	310	7
Unemployment	16	17	16	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.3	5.0	0.0
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	153	156	156	3
Employment	144	150	148	4
Unemployment	10	7	8	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.5	4.3	4.9	-1.6
London				
Labour Force	169	167	164	-5
Employment	159	157	156	-3
Unemployment	10	10	8	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.0	5.8	4.8	-1.2
Windsor				
Labour Force	125	135	133	8
Employment	111	126	126	15
Unemployment	14	10	7	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.8	7.1	5.3	-5.5
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	174	186	186	12
Employment	167	180	176	9
Unemployment	7	5	10	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.2	2.9	5.2	1.0
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	65	65	64	-1
Employment	60	62	61	1
Unemployment	5	4	--	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	5.4	--	--



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Oct. 1987	Sept. 1988	Oct. 1988	Change Oct. 87-Oct. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5032	5121	5121	89
Employment	4769	4884	4889	120
Unemployment	262	237	232	-30
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	4.6	4.5	-0.7
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	227	240	235	8
Employment	192	204	201	9
Unemployment	35	36	34	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.6	15.1	14.4	-1.2
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	62	64	63	1
Employment	55	58	56	1
Unemployment	6	6	7	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.4	9.8	10.5	0.1
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	411	419	412	1
Employment	371	380	374	3
Unemployment	39	39	38	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.4	9.2	-0.4
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	322	333	332	10
Employment	283	297	296	13
Unemployment	39	36	35	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.2	10.9	10.6	-1.6
Quebec				
Labour Force	3324	3400	3411	87
Employment	3029	3108	3100	71
Unemployment	295	292	312	17
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.9	8.6	9.1	0.2
Manitoba				
Labour Force	535	543	543	8
Employment	497	500	503	6
Unemployment	38	43	40	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	7.9	7.4	0.4
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	497	492	492	-5
Employment	466	460	459	-7
Unemployment	31	32	32	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	6.5	6.6	0.4
Alberta				
Labour Force	1265	1292	1294	29
Employment	1167	1201	1198	31
Unemployment	98	91	96	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.7	7.0	7.4	-0.3
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1488	1501	1498	10
Employment	1332	1354	1361	29
Unemployment	156	148	137	-19
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	9.8	9.1	-1.4
CANADA				
Labour Force	13162	13406	13400	238
Employment	12162	12445	12437	275
Unemployment	1000	960	963	-37
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.6	7.2	7.2	-0.4



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			
	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87- Nov. 88
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ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7334	7447	7455	121
Males	-	-	-	3572	3629	3633	61
Females	-	-	-	3762	3818	3822	60
Labour Force	5156	5172	16	5052	5121	5138	86
Males	2830	2841	11	2796	2806	2815	19
Females	2326	2331	5	2255	2315	2323	68
Participation Rate (%)	69.2	69.4	0.2	68.9	68.8	68.9	0.0
Males	78.0	78.2	0.2	78.3	77.3	77.5	-0.8
Females	60.9	61.0	0.1	60.0	60.6	60.8	0.8
Employment	4899	4910	11	4779	4889	4891	112
Males	2697	2712	15	2661	2692	2696	35
Females	2202	2198	-4	2118	2197	2195	77
Unemployment	257	262	5	273	232	247	-26
Males	133	129	-4	136	114	119	-17
Females	124	133	9	137	118	128	-9
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	5.1	0.1	5.4	4.5	4.8	-0.6
Males	4.7	4.5	-0.2	4.8	4.1	4.2	-0.6
Females	5.3	5.7	0.4	6.1	5.1	5.5	-0.6
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CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19923	20155	20172	249
Males	-	-	-	9737	9850	9858	121
Females	-	-	-	10186	10305	10314	128
Labour Force	13440	13501	61	13073	13400	13367	294
Males	7523	7556	33	7369	7497	7471	102
Females	5917	5945	28	5704	5903	5896	192
Participation Rate (%)	66.7	66.9	0.2	65.6	66.5	66.3	0.7
Males	76.4	76.6	0.2	75.7	76.1	75.8	0.1
Females	57.4	57.6	0.2	56.0	57.3	57.2	1.2
Employment	12379	12445	66	12049	12437	12366	317
Males	6942	6998	56	6829	6994	6950	121
Females	5437	5447	10	5220	5444	5417	197
Unemployment	1061	1056	-5	1024	963	1001	-23
Males	581	558	-23	540	503	521	-19
Females	480	498	18	484	460	479	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	7.8	-0.1	7.8	7.2	7.5	-0.3
Males	7.7	7.4	-0.3	7.3	6.7	7.0	-0.3
Females	8.1	8.4	0.3	8.5	7.8	8.1	-0.4



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	% Change Nov. 87- Nov. 88	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	% Change Nov. 87- Nov. 88	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	% Change Nov. 87- Nov. 88
Males	3572	3629	3633	1.7	78.3	77.3	77.5	-1.0	2796	2806	2815	0.7
15-24	753	737	736	-2.3	72.6	70.0	70.9	-2.3	547	516	522	-4.6
15-19	348	347	347	-0.3	59.1	57.5	58.3	-1.4	206	199	202	-1.9
20-24	405	391	389	-4.0	84.3	81.0	82.1	-2.6	341	317	320	-6.2
25-44	1485	1529	1533	3.2	96.4	95.6	95.4	-1.0	1431	1462	1462	2.2
25-34	806	831	832	3.2	95.6	95.3	94.7	-0.9	771	791	788	2.2
35-44	679	699	701	3.2	97.3	95.9	96.2	-1.1	660	670	674	2.1
45 +	1334	1362	1364	2.2	61.3	60.9	60.9	-0.7	818	829	831	1.6
45-54	484	496	498	2.9	94.2	93.9	93.9	-0.3	456	466	467	2.4
55-64	433	436	436	0.7	69.0	71.2	71.2	3.2	299	311	310	3.7
65 +	416	429	430	3.4	15.2	12.1	12.3	-19.1	63	52	53	-15.9
Females	3762	3818	3822	1.6	60.0	60.6	60.8	1.3	2255	2315	2323	3.0
15-24	724	708	707	-2.3	69.2	68.1	68.2	-1.4	501	482	482	-3.8
15-19	331	329	329	-0.6	58.8	58.7	60.3	2.6	195	193	198	1.5
20-24	393	379	378	-3.8	77.9	76.2	75.2	-3.5	306	289	284	-7.2
25-44	1526	1568	1572	3.0	78.2	80.5	80.8	3.3	1193	1262	1270	6.5
25-34	830	849	850	2.4	76.9	78.7	79.6	3.5	638	668	677	6.1
35-44	696	719	721	3.6	79.7	82.7	82.2	3.1	555	594	593	6.8
45 +	1512	1542	1544	2.1	37.1	37.0	37.0	-0.3	561	570	572	2.0
45-54	488	501	502	2.9	71.5	71.4	72.3	1.1	349	358	363	4.0
55-64	461	461	460	-0.2	40.7	41.4	40.3	-1.0	188	190	186	-1.1
65 +	563	580	581	3.2	4.4	3.8	3.9	-11.4	25	22	23	-8.0
Both Sexes	7334	7447	7455	1.6	68.9	68.8	68.9	0.0	5052	5121	5138	1.7
15-24	1478	1446	1443	-2.4	70.9	69.0	69.6	-1.8	1048	998	1004	-4.2
15-19	679	676	675	-0.6	58.9	58.1	59.3	0.7	400	392	400	0.0
20-24	798	770	767	-3.9	81.2	78.6	78.7	-3.1	648	606	604	-6.8
25-44	3011	3097	3104	3.1	87.2	87.9	88.0	0.9	2624	2724	2732	4.1
25-34	1636	1680	1683	2.9	86.1	86.9	87.1	1.2	1409	1459	1465	4.0
35-44	1375	1418	1422	3.4	88.4	89.2	89.1	0.8	1215	1264	1267	4.3
45 +	2846	2903	2908	2.2	48.5	48.2	48.2	-0.6	1379	1399	1402	1.7
45-54	972	997	1000	2.9	82.8	82.6	83.1	0.4	805	824	830	3.1
55-64	894	897	896	0.2	54.4	55.9	55.3	1.7	486	501	496	2.1
65 +	979	1010	1012	3.4	9.0	7.4	7.5	-16.7	88	74	76	-13.6



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov.87- Nov.88	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov.87- Nov.88	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov.87- Nov.88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2661	2692	2696	35	2422	2475	2465	43	238	217	232	-6
15-24	488	468	477	-11	317	303	309	-8	171	165	168	-3
25-44	1375	1415	1412	37	1348	1398	1387	39	27	17	25	-2
45 +	798	809	807	9	757	774	769	12	40	35	39	-1
45-54	445	458	458	11	439	452	452	13	7	4	4	-3
55-64	291	302	300	9	277	287	284	7	14	14	16	2
65 +	61	51	52	-9	42	34	33	-9	19	17	19	0
Females	2118	2197	2195	77	1572	1632	1621	49	546	564	574	28
15-24	458	447	447	-11	258	251	255	-3	200	195	192	-8
25-44	1122	1198	1200	78	911	977	975	64	211	222	226	15
45 +	538	552	548	10	403	404	391	-12	135	147	156	21
45-54	335	345	347	12	357	364	359	2	77	81	88	11
55-64	180	185	179	-1	135	132	124	-11	44	53	55	11
65 +	24	22	22	-2	11	9	9	-2	14	13	13	-1
Both Sexes	4779	4889	4891	112	3995	4107	4086	91	784	782	806	22
15-24	946	915	924	-22	575	555	564	-11	371	360	359	-12
25-44	2497	2613	2612	115	2259	2375	2362	103	238	239	251	13
45 +	1336	1360	1355	19	1161	1177	1160	-1	175	183	196	21
45-54	780	801	803	23	696	716	711	15	84	85	92	8
55-64	470	487	479	9	412	419	407	-5	58	68	71	13
65 +	86	73	74	-12	53	43	42	-11	33	30	32	-1

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov.87- Nov.88	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov.87- Nov.88
Males	136	114	119	-17	4.8	4.1	4.2	-0.6
15-24	59	48	45	-14	10.8	9.2	8.6	-2.2
15-19	31	24	26	-5	15.0	11.9	12.6	-2.4
20-24	29	24	19	-10	8.4	7.6	6.1	-2.3
25-44	56	47	50	-6	3.9	3.2	3.4	-0.5
25-34	35	31	33	-2	4.6	3.9	4.2	-0.4
35-44	21	16	17	-4	3.1	2.4	2.5	-0.6
45 +	20	20	23	3	2.5	2.4	2.8	0.3
45-54	11	10	12	1	2.3	2.2	2.5	0.2
55-64	8	9	11	3	2.7	2.9	3.4	0.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	137	118	128	-9	6.1	5.1	5.5	-0.6
15-24	43	35	35	-8	8.5	7.4	7.4	-1.1
15-19	21	15	20	-1	10.6	7.6	10.0	-0.6
20-24	22	21	16	-6	7.2	7.2	5.5	-1.7
25-44	71	64	69	-2	6.0	5.0	5.5	-0.5
25-34	47	33	41	-6	7.4	5.0	6.0	-1.4
35-44	24	30	29	5	4.4	5.1	4.8	0.4
45 +	23	19	23	0	4.1	3.3	4.1	0.0
45-54	14	13	16	2	4.1	3.6	4.3	0.2
55-64	8	6	7	-1	4.3	2.9	3.6	-0.7
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	273	232	247	-26	5.4	4.5	4.8	-0.6
15-24	102	83	81	-21	9.7	8.3	8.0	-1.7
15-19	51	38	45	-6	12.8	9.7	11.4	-1.4
20-24	51	45	35	-16	7.8	7.4	5.8	-2.0
25-44	127	110	120	-7	4.8	4.1	4.4	-0.4
25-34	82	64	74	-8	5.8	4.4	5.1	-0.7
35-44	45	47	46	1	3.7	3.7	3.6	-0.1
45 +	43	39	47	4	3.1	2.8	3.3	0.2
45-54	25	23	27	2	3.1	2.8	3.3	0.2
55-64	16	14	17	1	3.3	2.9	3.5	0.2
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87-Nov. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4779	4889	4891	112
Agriculture	107	108	105	-2
Other Primary	59	65	68	9
Manufacturing	1067	1035	1048	-19
Construction	294	314	312	18
Transportation	311	329	339	28
Trade	851	850	847	-4
Finance	301	316	303	2
Service	1523	1589	1582	59
Public Administration	265	282	287	22
Occupation	4779	4889	4891	112
Managerial	1389	1499	1503	114
Clerical	801	842	830	29
Sales	456	446	459	3
Service	591	605	587	-4
Primary	142	154	150	8
Processing	752	709	726	-26
Construction	281	280	286	5
Transportation	166	168	158	-8
Materials Handling	201	185	194	-7



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87-Nov. 88	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87-Nov. 88
All Ages	273	232	247	-26	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	110	97	93	-17	40.3	41.8	37.7	-2.6
5 - 13 weeks	84	65	81	-3	30.8	28.0	32.8	2.0
14 weeks and over	74	67	70	-4	27.1	28.9	28.3	1.2
Average duration (weeks)	13.0	12.7	13.4	0.4	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	102	83	81	-21	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	50	46	43	-7	49.0	55.4	53.1	4.1
5 - 13 weeks	34	24	25	-9	33.3	28.9	30.9	-2.5
14 weeks and over	16	12	12	-4	15.7	14.5	14.8	-0.9
Average duration (weeks)	8.5	7.0	7.9	-0.6	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	127	110	120	-7	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	47	41	36	-11	37.0	37.3	30.0	-7.0
5 - 13 weeks	37	30	41	4	29.1	27.3	34.2	5.0
14 weeks and over	41	38	42	1	32.3	34.5	35.0	2.7
Average duration (weeks)	14.9	14.0	14.9	0	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	43	39	47	4	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	13	11	14	1	30.2	28.2	29.8	-0.4
5 - 13 weeks	12	11	15	3	27.9	28.2	31.9	4.0
14 weeks and over	18	18	17	-1	41.9	46.2	36.2	-5.7
Average duration (weeks)	17.9	20.7	19.3	1.4	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87-Nov. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	51	38	45	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.8	9.7	11.4	-1.4
Duration				
4 weeks or less	28	22	28	0
5 - 13 weeks	17	13	13	-4
14 weeks and over	5	--	4	-1
Average duration (weeks)	6.5	5.5	6.4	-0.1
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	18	10	14	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.1	10.9	14.3	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	10	5	7	-3
5 - 13 weeks	5	4	4	-1
14 weeks and over	--	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	5.8	6.8	9.1	3.3
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	51	45	35	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.4	5.8	-2.0
Duration				
4 weeks or less	21	23	15	-6
5 - 13 weeks	17	11	12	-5
14 weeks and over	11	9	8	-3
Average duration (weeks)	10.5	8.4	9.9	-0.6
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	47	41	33	-14
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.3	7.6	6.2	-2.1
Duration				
4 weeks or less	20	21	15	-5
5 - 13 weeks	14	10	10	-4
14 weeks and over	11	9	8	-3
Average duration (weeks)	10.8	8.7	10.1	-0.7



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87-Nov. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	440	475	472	32
Employment	413	454	452	39
Unemployment	27	21	20	-7
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.2	4.4	4.3	-1.9
Sudbury				
Labour Force	67	66	69	2
Employment	58	59	62	4
Unemployment	9	7	6	-3
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.3	10.1	9.4	-3.9
Oshawa				
Labour Force	102	100	99	-3
Employment	98	95	91	-7
Unemployment	4	5	7	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5	4.9	7.4	3.9
Toronto				
Labour Force	1885	1914	1943	58
Employment	1807	1854	1878	71
Unemployment	78	61	65	-13
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1	3.2	3.3	-0.8
Hamilton				
Labour Force	313	326	321	8
Employment	297	310	302	5
Unemployment	15	16	19	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9	5.0	5.9	1.0
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	154	156	153	-1
Employment	138	148	146	8
Unemployment	16	8	8	-8
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.2	4.9	5.1	-5.1
London				
Labour Force	168	164	162	-6
Employment	160	156	154	-6
Unemployment	8	8	8	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	4.8	4.8	-0.2
Windsor				
Labour Force	127	133	132	5
Employment	115	126	123	8
Unemployment	11	7	9	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	5.3	6.6	-2.5
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	175	186	191	16
Employment	166	176	178	12
Unemployment	9	10	13	4
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.2	5.2	6.6	1.4
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	66	64	65	-1
Employment	62	61	62	0
Unemployment	4	--	--	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.3	--	--	--



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Nov. 1987	Oct. 1988	Nov. 1988	Change Nov. 87-Nov. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5052	5121	5138	86
Employment	4779	4889	4891	112
Unemployment	273	232	247	-26
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.4	4.5	4.8	-0.6
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	220	235	223	3
Employment	184	201	191	7
Unemployment	36	34	32	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	16.4	14.4	14.2	-2.2
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	60	63	63	3
Employment	52	56	55	3
Unemployment	9	7	8	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	14.6	10.5	12.7	-1.9
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	410	412	416	6
Employment	364	374	375	11
Unemployment	46	38	41	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.1	9.2	9.9	-1.2
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	316	332	323	7
Employment	277	296	286	9
Unemployment	39	35	37	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.3	10.6	11.4	-0.9
Quebec				
Labour Force	3267	3411	3384	117
Employment	2969	3100	3078	109
Unemployment	298	312	306	8
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.1	9.1	9.0	-0.1
Manitoba				
Labour Force	534	543	540	6
Employment	498	503	500	2
Unemployment	37	40	40	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.8	7.4	7.5	0.7
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	492	492	489	-3
Employment	458	459	453	-5
Unemployment	34	32	36	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	6.9	6.6	7.4	0.5
Alberta				
Labour Force	1260	1294	1289	29
Employment	1162	1198	1192	30
Unemployment	99	96	97	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.4	7.5	-0.3
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1463	1498	1502	39
Employment	1308	1361	1346	38
Unemployment	155	137	157	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.6	9.1	10.4	-0.2
CANADA				
Labour Force	13073	13400	13367	294
Employment	12049	12437	12366	317
Unemployment	1024	963	1001	-23
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.2	7.5	-0.3



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**SOURCE:** Statistics Canada, The Labour Force, Cat. No. 71-001, monthly

**NOTE:** All estimates presented in the tables, unless otherwise specified, are actual estimates. They are not adjusted for seasonal variation. Totals may not add up because of rounding.



1. POPULATION, LABOUR FORCE, PARTICIPATION RATE, EMPLOYMENT,  
UNEMPLOYMENT & UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX:  
ONTARIO AND CANADA

	SEASONALLY ADJUSTED			UNADJUSTED			Change
	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Dec. 87- Dec. 88
ONTARIO	(ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS)						
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	7346	7455	7462	116
Males	-	-	-	3578	3633	3636	58
Females	-	-	-	3768	3822	3826	58
Labour Force	5172	5194	22	5030	5138	5128	98
Males	2841	2856	15	2790	2815	2817	27
Females	2331	2338	7	2240	2323	2312	72
Participation Rate (%)	69.4	69.6	0.2	68.5	68.9	68.7	0.2
Males	78.2	78.5	0.3	78.0	77.5	77.5	-0.5
Females	61.0	61.1	0.1	59.5	60.8	60.4	0.9
Employment	4910	4932	22	4779	4891	4883	104
Males	2712	2724	12	2656	2696	2685	29
Females	2198	2208	10	2123	2195	2199	76
Unemployment	262	262	0	251	247	245	-6
Males	129	132	3	134	119	132	-2
Females	133	130	-3	117	128	113	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.1	5.0	-0.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	-0.2
Males	4.5	4.6	0.1	4.8	4.2	4.7	-0.1
Females	5.7	5.6	-0.1	5.2	5.5	4.9	-0.3
CANADA							
Population 15 yrs. & over	-	-	-	19945	20172	20189	244
Males	-	-	-	9748	9858	9866	118
Females	-	-	-	10197	10314	10323	126
Labour Force	13501	13500	-1	13057	13367	13291	234
Males	7556	7566	10	7350	7471	7435	85
Females	5945	5934	-11	5706	5896	5855	149
Participation Rate (%)	66.9	66.9	0.0	65.5	66.3	65.8	0.3
Males	76.6	76.7	0.1	75.4	75.8	75.4	0.0
Females	57.6	57.5	-0.1	56.0	57.2	56.7	0.7
Employment	12445	12468	23	12031	12366	12305	274
Males	6998	7018	20	6774	6950	6883	109
Females	5447	5450	3	5257	5417	5423	166
Unemployment	1056	1032	-24	1025	1001	985	-40
Males	558	548	-10	576	521	553	-23
Females	498	484	-14	449	479	433	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	7.6	-0.2	7.9	7.5	7.4	-0.5
Males	7.4	7.2	-0.2	7.8	7.0	7.4	-0.4
Females	8.4	8.2	-0.2	7.9	8.1	7.4	-0.5



2. POPULATION, PARTICIPATION RATE AND LABOUR FORCE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Population (000)				Participation Rate (%)				Labour Force (000)			
	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	% Change Dec. 87- Dec. 88	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	% Change Dec. 87- Dec. 88	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	% Change Dec. 87- Dec. 88
Males	3578	3633	3636	1.6	78.0	77.5	77.5	-0.6	2790	2815	2817	1.0
15-24	752	736	734	-2.4	71.8	70.9	70.7	-1.5	540	522	519	-3.9
15-19	348	347	346	-0.6	57.9	58.3	57.7	-0.3	202	202	200	-1.0
20-24	404	389	388	-4.0	83.7	82.1	82.3	-1.7	338	320	319	-5.6
25-44	1490	1533	1536	3.1	96.1	95.4	95.6	-0.5	1432	1462	1468	2.5
25-34	809	832	834	3.1	95.4	94.7	95.0	-0.4	772	788	792	2.6
35-44	680	701	702	3.2	97.1	96.2	96.3	-0.8	660	674	676	2.4
45 +	1336	1364	1366	2.2	61.2	60.9	60.7	-0.8	818	831	829	1.3
45-54	485	498	499	2.9	93.5	93.9	93.6	0.1	453	467	467	3.1
55-64	434	436	436	0.5	70.4	71.2	72.1	2.4	305	310	314	3.0
65 +	418	430	431	3.1	14.1	12.3	11.2	-20.6	59	53	49	-16.9
Females	3768	3822	3826	1.5	59.5	60.8	60.4	1.5	2240	2323	2312	3.2
15-24	723	707	705	-2.5	67.4	68.2	68.5	1.6	487	482	483	-0.8
15-19	331	329	329	-0.6	56.2	60.3	60.4	7.5	186	198	198	6.5
20-24	392	378	377	-3.8	76.8	75.2	75.6	-1.6	301	284	285	-5.3
25-44	1530	1572	1575	2.9	77.9	80.8	80.1	2.8	1191	1270	1261	5.9
25-34	832	850	852	2.4	77.0	79.6	78.7	2.2	641	677	670	4.5
35-44	698	721	723	3.6	78.9	82.2	81.8	3.7	551	593	591	7.3
45 +	1514	1544	1546	2.1	37.1	37.0	36.7	-1.1	562	572	567	0.9
45-54	489	502	503	2.9	71.5	72.3	71.5	0.0	350	363	360	2.9
55-64	461	460	460	-0.2	40.7	40.3	40.3	-1.0	188	186	185	-1.6
65 +	564	581	583	3.4	4.3	3.9	3.8	-11.6	24	23	22	-8.3
Both Sexes	7346	7455	7462	1.6	68.5	68.9	68.7	0.3	5030	5138	5128	1.9
15-24	1476	1443	1440	-2.4	69.6	69.6	69.6	0.0	1027	1004	1002	-2.4
15-19	679	675	675	-0.6	57.1	59.3	59.0	3.3	388	400	398	2.6
20-24	796	767	765	-3.9	80.3	78.7	79.0	-1.6	640	604	604	-5.6
25-44	3019	3104	3111	3.0	86.9	88.0	87.8	1.0	2623	2732	2730	4.1
25-34	1641	1683	1685	2.7	86.1	87.1	86.8	0.8	1412	1465	1462	3.5
35-44	1378	1422	1425	3.4	87.9	89.1	88.9	1.1	1211	1267	1267	4.6
45 +	2851	2908	2912	2.1	48.4	48.2	48.0	-0.8	1379	1402	1397	1.3
45-54	974	1000	1002	2.9	82.4	83.1	82.5	0.1	803	830	827	3.0
55-64	895	896	896	0.1	55.1	55.3	55.7	1.1	493	496	499	1.2
65 +	982	1012	1014	3.3	8.5	7.5	7.0	-17.6	83	76	71	-14.5



### 3. FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT BY SEX AND AGE: ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Total Employment				Full-time Employment				Part-time Employment			
	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec.87- Dec.88	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec.87- Dec.88	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec.87- Dec.88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )												
Males	2656	2696	2685	29	2419	2465	2449	30	237	232	236	-1
15-24	489	477	475	-14	314	309	299	-15	175	168	175	0
25-44	1372	1412	1406	34	1347	1387	1381	34	25	25	24	-1
45 +	795	807	805	10	758	769	769	11	37	39	37	0
45-54	445	456	453	8	439	452	448	9	6	4	5	-1
55-64	292	300	303	11	279	284	290	11	12	16	13	1
65 +	59	52	48	-11	40	33	30	-10	19	19	18	-1
Females	2123	2195	2199	76	1571	1621	1638	67	552	574	561	9
15-24	456	447	454	-2	253	255	256	3	203	192	198	-5
25-44	1128	1200	1197	69	917	975	982	65	211	226	215	4
45 +	540	548	548	8	401	391	400	-1	138	156	148	10
45-54	336	347	349	13	255	259	266	11	81	88	83	2
55-64	180	179	177	-3	135	124	127	-8	44	55	50	6
65 +	24	22	22	-2	11	9	8	-3	13	13	14	1
Both Sexes	4779	4891	4883	104	3990	4086	4087	97	789	806	797	8
15-24	945	924	928	-17	567	564	555	-12	378	359	373	-5
25-44	2499	2612	2603	104	2264	2362	2364	100	236	251	239	3
45 +	1335	1355	1352	17	1159	1160	1168	9	175	196	185	10
45-54	781	803	802	21	694	711	714	20	87	92	88	1
55-64	471	479	480	9	414	407	417	3	57	71	64	7
65 +	82	74	70	-12	51	42	38	-13	32	32	32	0

NOTE: Full-time employment consists of persons who usually work 30 hours or more per week, plus those who usually work less than 30 hours but consider themselves to be employed full-time. Part-time employment consists of all other persons who usually work less than 30 hours per week.



4. UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE BY SEX & AGE:  
ONTARIO

SEX & AGE	Unemployment (000)				Unemployment Rate (%)			
	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec.87- Dec.88	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec.87- Dec.88
Males	134	119	132	-2	4.8	4.2	4.7	-0.1
15-24	51	45	44	-7	9.4	8.6	8.5	-0.9
15-19	23	26	22	-1	11.3	12.6	11.2	-0.1
20-24	28	19	22	-6	8.2	6.1	6.8	-1.4
25-44	60	50	63	3	4.2	3.4	4.3	0.1
25-34	39	33	44	5	5.1	4.2	5.6	0.5
35-44	21	17	18	-3	3.2	2.5	2.7	-0.5
45 +	23	23	25	2	2.8	2.8	3.0	0.2
45-54	9	12	14	5	1.9	2.5	2.9	1.0
55-64	14	11	11	-3	4.5	3.4	3.5	-1.0
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Females	117	128	113	-4	5.2	5.5	4.9	-0.3
15-24	32	35	30	-2	6.5	7.4	6.2	-0.3
15-19	10	20	16	6	5.2	10.0	8.2	3.0
20-24	22	16	13	-9	7.3	5.5	4.7	-2.6
25-44	63	69	64	1	5.3	5.5	5.1	-0.2
25-34	38	41	38	0	6.0	6.0	5.7	-0.3
35-44	25	29	26	1	4.6	4.8	4.4	-0.2
45 +	22	23	20	-2	3.9	4.1	3.5	-0.4
45-54	13	16	11	-2	3.8	4.3	3.0	-0.8
55-64	8	7	8	0	4.4	3.6	4.5	0.1
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Both Sexes	251	247	245	-6	5.0	4.8	4.8	-0.2
15-24	82	81	74	-8	8.0	8.0	7.4	-0.6
15-19	32	45	39	7	8.4	11.4	9.7	1.3
20-24	50	35	35	-15	7.8	5.8	5.8	-2.0
25-44	124	120	127	3	4.7	4.4	4.6	-0.1
25-34	78	74	82	4	5.5	5.1	5.6	0.1
35-44	46	46	44	-2	3.8	3.6	3.5	-0.3
45 +	45	47	45	0	3.2	3.3	3.2	0.0
45-54	22	27	25	3	2.8	3.3	3.0	0.2
55-64	22	17	19	-3	4.4	3.5	3.9	-0.5
65 +	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

-- Any estimate that has a variability of more than 33.3 percent or is less than 4,000 is not published by Statistics Canada.



5. EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY AND OCCUPATION:  
ONTARIO

CATEGORY	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec. 87-Dec. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Industry	4779	4891	4883	104
Agriculture	110	105	101	-9
Other Primary	58	68	65	7
Manufacturing	1074	1048	1033	-41
Construction	273	312	293	20
Transportation	312	339	342	30
Trade	865	847	847	-18
Finance	302	303	302	0
Service	1525	1582	1605	80
Public Administration	262	287	296	34
Occupation	4779	4891	4883	104
Managerial	1388	1503	1498	110
Clerical	822	830	839	17
Sales	471	459	447	-24
Service	576	587	607	31
Primary	135	150	137	2
Processing	754	726	722	-32
Construction	267	286	280	13
Transportation	164	158	164	0
Materials Handling	201	194	189	-12



# 6. DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE GROUP: ONTARIO

DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS (000)				PERCENT DISTRIBUTION (%)			
	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec. 87-Dec. 88	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec. 87-Dec. 88
All Ages	251	247	245	-6	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	78	93	86	8	31.1	37.7	35.1	4.0
5 - 13 weeks	82	81	79	-3	32.7	32.8	32.2	-0.4
14 weeks and over	87	70	74	-13	34.7	28.3	30.2	-4.5
Average duration (weeks)	14.6	13.4	13.9	-0.7	--	--	--	--
15 - 24 Years	82	81	74	-8	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	28	43	34	6	34.1	53.1	45.9	11.8
5 - 13 weeks	32	25	25	-7	39.0	30.9	33.8	-5.2
14 weeks and over	21	12	12	-9	25.6	14.8	16.2	-9.4
Average duration (weeks)	10.7	7.9	8.9	-1.8	--	--	--	--
25 - 44 Years	124	120	127	3	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	39	36	41	2	31.5	30.0	32.3	0.8
5 - 13 weeks	41	41	38	-3	33.1	34.2	29.9	-3.1
14 weeks and over	43	42	45	2	34.7	35.0	35.4	0.8
Average duration (weeks)	14.3	14.9	14.4	0.1	--	--	--	--
45 Years and over	45	47	45	0	100.0	100.0	100.0	--
4 weeks or less	11	14	11	0	24.4	29.8	24.4	0.0
5 - 13 weeks	9	15	16	7	20.0	31.9	35.6	15.6
14 weeks and over	23	17	18	-5	51.1	36.2	40.0	-11.1
Average duration (weeks)	22.3	19.3	20.4	-1.9	--	--	--	--



7. YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT & DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT BY AGE AND  
SCHOOL ATTENDANCE: ONTARIO

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AND DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec. 87-Dec. 88
TOTAL (15-19 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	32	45	39	7
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.4	11.4	9.7	1.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	12	28	19	7
5 - 13 weeks	14	13	15	1
14 weeks and over	7	4	4	-3
Average duration (weeks)	8.5	6.4	7.1	-1.4
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	13	14	14	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	12.1	14.3	14.4	2.3
Duration				
4 weeks or less	4	7	7	3
5 - 13 weeks	6	4	4	-2
14 weeks and over	--	--	--	--
Average duration (weeks)	8.2	9.1	8.1	-0.1
TOTAL (20-24 yrs)				
Unemployed (000)	50	35	35	-15
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.8	5.8	5.8	-2.0
Duration				
4 weeks or less	16	15	15	-1
5 - 13 weeks	18	12	11	-7
14 weeks and over	15	8	8	-7
Average duration (weeks)	12.2	9.9	10.8	-1.4
Not Attending School Full-time				
Unemployed (000)	45	33	33	-12
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	6.2	6.3	-1.8
Duration				
4 weeks or less	13	15	14	1
5 - 13 weeks	16	10	10	-6
14 weeks and over	14	8	8	-6
Average duration (weeks)	12.9	10.1	11.2	-1.7



8. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY METROPOLITAN AREA: ONTARIO

METROPOLITAN AREA	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec.87-Dec.88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
Ottawa-Hull				
Labour Force	443	472	472	29
Employment	420	452	454	34
Unemployment	24	20	18	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.3	4.3	3.8	-1.5
Sudbury				
Labour Force	66	69	68	2
Employment	57	62	63	6
Unemployment	9	6	5	-4
Unemployment Rate (%)	13.1	9.4	7.3	-5.8
Oshawa				
Labour Force	100	99	100	0
Employment	96	91	95	-1
Unemployment	4	7	5	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1	7.4	5.2	1.1
Toronto				
Labour Force	1890	1943	1942	52
Employment	1817	1878	1872	55
Unemployment	73	65	71	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8	3.3	3.6	-0.2
Hamilton				
Labour Force	309	321	324	15
Employment	295	302	307	12
Unemployment	14	19	17	3
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5	5.9	5.2	0.7
St. Catharines-Niagara				
Labour Force	154	153	149	-5
Employment	140	146	139	-1
Unemployment	14	8	9	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.0	5.1	6.1	-2.9
London				
Labour Force	168	162	163	-5
Employment	161	154	156	-5
Unemployment	7	8	7	0
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9	4.8	4.5	0.6
Windsor				
Labour Force	123	132	132	9
Employment	109	123	122	13
Unemployment	14	9	9	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.3	6.6	7.0	-4.3
Kitchener-Waterloo				
Labour Force	175	191	192	17
Employment	170	178	181	11
Unemployment	5	13	11	6
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9	6.6	5.7	2.8
Thunder Bay				
Labour Force	68	65	64	-4
Employment	63	62	61	-2
Unemployment	5	--	--	--
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.0	--	--	--



9. LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT, UNEMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT  
RATE BY PROVINCE

PROVINCES	Dec. 1987	Nov. 1988	Dec. 1988	Change Dec. 87-Dec. 88
( ESTIMATES IN THOUSANDS )				
ONTARIO				
Labour Force	5030	5138	5128	98
Employment	4779	4891	4883	104
Unemployment	251	247	245	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0	4.8	4.8	-0.2
Newfoundland				
Labour Force	215	223	222	7
Employment	176	191	193	17
Unemployment	39	32	29	-10
Unemployment Rate (%)	18.2	14.2	13.0	-5.2
P.E.I.				
Labour Force	60	63	61	1
Employment	51	55	53	2
Unemployment	9	8	8	-1
Unemployment Rate (%)	15.6	12.7	13.6	-2.0
Nova Scotia				
Labour Force	405	416	409	4
Employment	362	375	371	9
Unemployment	43	41	38	-5
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.6	9.9	9.4	-1.2
New Brunswick				
Labour Force	307	323	316	9
Employment	271	286	282	11
Unemployment	36	37	34	-2
Unemployment Rate (%)	11.7	11.4	10.8	-0.9
Quebec				
Labour Force	3280	3384	3338	58
Employment	2966	3078	3039	73
Unemployment	314	306	298	-16
Unemployment Rate (%)	9.6	9.0	8.9	-0.7
Manitoba				
Labour Force	530	540	545	15
Employment	491	500	504	13
Unemployment	39	40	41	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	7.5	7.5	0.1
Saskatchewan				
Labour Force	487	489	486	-1
Employment	451	453	448	-3
Unemployment	36	36	38	2
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.4	7.4	7.9	0.5
Alberta				
Labour Force	1265	1289	1278	13
Employment	1164	1192	1182	18
Unemployment	102	97	96	-6
Unemployment Rate (%)	8.1	7.5	7.5	-0.6
British Columbia				
Labour Force	1477	1502	1507	30
Employment	1321	1346	1351	30
Unemployment	156	157	157	1
Unemployment Rate (%)	10.5	10.4	10.4	-0.1
CANADA				
Labour Force	13057	13367	13291	234
Employment	12031	12366	12305	274
Unemployment	1025	1001	985	-40
Unemployment Rate (%)	7.9	7.5	7.4	-0.5









